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Billard, E.		1936	9
Bonepart, P.		1932	13
Bowen, N. T.	1902	1904	41
Bowen, T. W.	1938	1939	7
Bowen, G. H.	1939	1941	4
Bradford, B. F.	1911	1913	32
Brewer, H. C.	1938	1940	5
Brown, C. R.	1927	1929	17
Brown, G. C.	1923	1925	20
Brown, H. B.	1933	1935	11
Brown, S. M.	1912	1914	31
Brown, M.	1937	1939	6
Bruce, E. P.	1920	1922	23
Bryant, S. C.	1928	1930	15
Budding, J. W.	1922	1924	23
Butler, J. W. A.	1920	1925	20
Brockington, A.	1939	1941	5
Boatwright, Marvin	1943	1945	
Carter, V. S.	1933	1935	10
Clark, C. C.	1908	1910	35
Connor, R. C.	1927	1929	16
Connor, W. E.	1938	1940	5
Conyers, W. M.	1934	1938	7
Cooper, E. J.	1903	1905	40
Cooper, H. H.	1909	1911	34
Cooper, S. J.	1903	1905	40
Cooper, M. C.	1938	1940	5
Cooper, A. S.	1889	1891	54
Crawford, J. C.	1941	1943	4
Cunningham, R. H.	1910	1912	33
Curry, J. A.	1907	1909	36
Curry, J. W.	1930	1932	13
Curry, L. W.	1937	1939	6
Curry, T. J. E.	1922	1924	21
Davoe, J. W.		1943	2
Dials, James S.	1930	1933	12
DuBois, F. G. C.	1941	1943	3
Eady, M. B.	1914	1916	29
Fair, R. P.	1935	1937	8
Ferguson, Clarence R.	1924	1926	19
Fisher, Theo. F. Sr.	1917	1919	25
Fisher, Theo. F., Jr.	1937	1939	6
Fowler, S. V.	1923	1925	20
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Frierson, H.	1931	1934	11
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Kirk, H. J.	1912	1914	31
Knox, Alex	1917	1919	24
King, R. B.	1924	1926	19
Laurence, R. G.	1919	1921	24
Lawton, F. L.	1919	1921	24
Lavine, F. L.	1934	1936	9

THE CONFERENCE CHRONOLOGICAL CALENDAR, 1945-46

NAME	ENTERED	ADMITTED	YEARS OF SERVICE
Lowrey, C. B.	1894	1896	49
Mack, Abraham	1914	1916	29
Mack, C. J.	1924	1926	19
Mahoney, L. C.	1919	1921	24
Manning, I. V.	1918	1921	24
Marcus, F.	1916	1918	27
Martin, J. T.	1907	1909	36
McCullum, M.	1941	1944	2
McKay, W. E.	1931	1933	12
McLaughlin, P. E.	1909	1911	34
McTeer, B. W.	1928	1930	15
McTeer, Julius, C.	1945	1945	
Miller, J. S.	1917	1919	26
Miller, Samuel M.	1913	1915	30
Mims, Harold	1938	1940	5
Mingo, P. E.	1921	1923	22
Mitchell, J. M.	1937	1939	6
Mitchell, Jeremiah	1924	1926	19
Moss, S. F.	1921	1923	22
Moultrie, J. W.	1893	1895	50
Murdock, Berry Q.	1937	1939	6
Nelson, Samuel		1924	21
Newman, I. DeQ.	1931	1933	12
Newman, M. C.	1912	1914	31
Norwood, J. R.	1924	1926	19
Pearson, Joshua F.	1924	1926	19
Pearson, Solomon	1912	1914	31
Pendergrass, T. J.	1913	1915	30
Pogue, A. J.	1913	1915	30
Porter, M. J.	1915	1917	28
President, R. W.		1931	14
Pyatt, M. P.	1932	1934	11
Primus, W. D.	1939	1941	4
Quick, Frank	1907	1909	36
Reeder, J. W.	1926	1928	17
Reynolds, Calvin C.	1919	1921	24
Richardson, C. H.	1930	1932	13
Richardson, V. V.	1921	1923	22
Robinson, T. J.	1905	1907	38
Roberson, T. R.	1919	1921	24
Robinson, J. W.	1932	1934	11
Rouse, Herman B.		1939	6
Rouse, J. B.	1923	1925	20
Sherman, Irvin A.	1941	1943	2
Sawyer, G. S.	1914	1916	29
Selmore, Lee S.	1925	1927	18
Sparks, S. S.	1895	1897	48
Stewart, B. C.	1934	1936	9
Stokes, J. G.	1911	1913	32
Stratton, E. W.	1904	1906	39
Strother, William C.	1932	1934	11
Summers, J. A.	1910	1912	33
Sumter, A. P.		1926	19
Stokes, J. M.	1915	1917	28
Stokes, William M.	1943	1945	
Taylor, J. W.	1913	1915	30
Taylor, Z. L.	1937	1939	6
Tiller, Perry R.	1930	1932	13
Tillman, G. B.	1909	1911	34
Thomas, D. E.	1907	1909	36
Thomas, George A.	1918	1920	25
Thomas, J. S.	1942	1944	2
Thomas, T. B.	1928	1930	15
Washington, E. M.	1910	1912	33
Washington, P.		1936	9
White, T. W.	1931	1933	12
Williams, John W.	1924	1926	19
Williams, George W.	1938	1940	5
Williams, R. R.	1912	1914	31
Wilson, B. C. M.	1929	1931	14
Wright, Emmett C.	1916	1918	27
Wright, Alonza W.	1919	1921	24
Wright, C. D.	1940	1942	4
Walker, R. M.	1939	1941	5
Wiley, I. C.	1041	1943	3
Wiley, Edward M.	1942	1944	2

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DAILY PROCEEDINGS

INTRODUCTORY SERVICE, NOVEMBER 21, 1945
7:30 P. M.

Reverend M. J. Porter, Presiding

After music by the choir, the Scripture Lesson and invocation were given by Reverend R. C. Connor. Following another selection by the choir, addresses of welcome were given by the following persons: His Honor the Mayor R. B. Gasque, Reverend W. F. McIntosh and Miss Ethel Windom. The response was given by Reverend C. R. Brown. After an address by Dr. J. W. E. Bowen, Editor of the Christian Advocate, Central Edition, an offering of \$30.00 was received.

Benediction was pronounced by Dr. J. J. Seabrook, President of Claflin College.

FIRST DAY—Thursday Morning Session—9 o'clock.

The Seventh annual session of the South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church, 141st. as Legal Successor of the South Carolina Conference Methodist Episcopal Church, Central Jurisdiction, opened in Bethel Methodist Church, Marion South Carolina, November 22, 1945.

Devotions were led by Reverend W. J. Gupple. The communion was administered by Reverend N. W. Green assisted by the other District Superintendents and the entertaining pastor. After preliminary remarks by Bishop L. H. King, the organization was begun. F. H. Grant was elected secretary, J. A. Summers, statistician. Each of them named his assistants. J. C. Gibbs was named

reporter to the Christian Advocate, Central Edition. Reverend F. Marcus, Past Master, under question No. 4, L. W. Curry, R. P. Fair and J. W. Curry were added to the committee on supply pastor. The following persons were named on the Committee on Courtesy: P. R. Tiller, K. D. Hugh and I. V. Manning. The Committee on Resolutions: N. T. Bowen, I. C. Wiley and Z. C. Taylor. The Committee on Investigation as appointed by the Bishop: T. D. Green, L. A. Gelzer, J. W. Buddin, T. B. Thomas and M. P. Pyatt. Reserve: R. H. Cunningham, E. M. Washington and I. C. Wiley.

The Conference voted that the Cabinet name a Historical Committee.

The matter of appointing a District Board of Church Location and Building was referred to the Cabinet to be reported on at the next Session. The Conference voted to make the printed program the order with necessary changes.

The bounds of the Conference were set at the rear of the fourth window. The roll was called. The following members were present (see report). The roll of the deceased was called while the Reverend M. P. Pyatt led in prayer, after which the Bishop led in singing "Blest Be The Tie That Binds."

The following presentations were made by Bishop King: J. W. E. Bowen, Editor of the Christian Advocate, Central Edition, who presented a check for \$1,917.91.

After announcements, the Bishop led in singing "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing." Benediction was pronounced by Dr. C. K. Brown.

Reverend L. W. Curry was appointed to collect the accounts for the Methodist Publishing House. By motion, the check was received and turned over to the Conference Treasurer. Dr. N. J. Crolley, representing the Board of Pensions and Relief, was presented. He brought greetings and presented a check from the Board amounting to \$1,276. Dr. Chambers, representing the Board of Missions; Dr. Lockland, representing the Board of Education and the General Committee on World Service, Dr. J. S. Coe, presiding Elder in the A. M. E. Church; Dr. C. K. Brown of the Florida Conference, Mrs. Dickerson,

secretary to the Bishop and Professor L. H. King, Jr., were presented.

AFTERNOON SESSION—2:30 P. M.

Devotions were conducted by Reverend L. C. Gregg, assisted by his junior choir. After words of commendation in behalf of the choir, the Superintendents of the Bennettsville, Beaufort, Berkeley and Charleston Districts made their reports. Question No. 7 was called.

On motion of A. W. Wright, B. W. Murdock's time in the conference course of study was extended. Questions 12B, 18, 19A, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25 were called, (See list). After announcements and doxology, the benediction was pronounced by Rev. L. G. Gregg.

THURSDAY EVENING SESSION—7:30 P. M.

Reverend C. C. Clark presided. After music by the choir, the Scripture lesson was read and prayer was offered by Reverend J. C. McTeer.

Addresses were delivered by Dr. Chambers, representing the Board of Missions and Dr. A. R. Howard, representing the Board of Temperance. After comments upon the addresses, the Bishop called Question 6. The superintendents of the Florence, Greenville and Orangeburg District made their reports. An offering of \$40.00 was received. Announcements were made and the benediction was pronounced by Dr. N. J. Crolley.

SECOND DAY—Friday, November 23, 1945, Morning Session 9:00 o'clock.

Devotions were conducted by Reverend B. C. Stewart. During the devotional period, an offering of \$42.00 was received for Brother Cave, a blind preacher. Bishop King called Reverend D. E. Thomas, chairman of the Board of Pensions, and Mrs. C. C. Reynolds, chairman of the Ministers' Wives Alliance to the Platform. Mrs. Reynolds made her report.

The nine Districts reported as follows for Gold Seals:

Beaufort	\$ 400.00
Berkeley	100.00
Bennettsville	440.00
Charleston	500.00
Florence	500.00
Greenville	400.00
Orangeburg	420.00
Spartanburg	420.00
Sumter	430.00
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	\$3610.00

The ministers wives alliance reported as follows:

Beaufort	\$ 205.00
Berkeley	115.00
Bennettsville	347.50
Charleston	245.00
Florence	310.00
Greenville	284.00
Orangeburg	255.00
Spartanburg	340.00
Sumter	650.00
Mrs. Reynolds	75.00
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	\$2826.50

A public offering of \$107.32 was taken. The Conference voted to give this amount to the Ministers' Wives Alliance. The Bishop offered a prize of \$100.00 to the District raising the highest amount. The Sumter District, having raised \$650.00, received the prize, bringing the District's amount to \$750.00. The grand total was \$3,033.82. The final total for Gold Seals and Ministers' Wives Alliance was \$6,643.82.

Under Question 6, the Districts Superintendents of the Spartanburg and Sumter Districts made their reports. Rev. S. A. Funches got the floor for Rev. I. D. Newman who presented Rev. A. W. Wright a purse from the Orangeburg District. Under Question 14 A, C. W. Caldwell was elected Conference Lay Leader.

The Bishop instructed the committee on Conference Relations and Ministerial Training relative to their duties. Announcements were made and the Doxology and benediction were given by Rev. S. A. Funches.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION—3:00 O'clock.

Devotions were led by Reverend W. M. Stokes. The Bishop called for reports of the pastors. On motion of J. W. Curry the Conference voted that the pastors report on the following items: conversions, accessions, budget, Crusade, Ministerial support and Advocate. Rev. L. A. Gelzer was presented and brought greetings from the Board of Church Extension. Dr. J. W. Thomas of the Atlanta Conference, Dr. J. E. Thomas, Presiding Elder in the A. M. E. Church, Dr. W. F. McIntosh of the Baptist

Church and Mr. Pendarvis of the Boy Scouts of America were presented.

Tokens of appreciation were presented to Rev. H. B. Jones and Rev. N. W. Green by the men of their respective districts.

The Conference Lay Leader was presented and after remarks, issued very helpful and instructive literature. Prof. P. A. Taylor of Gammon Theological Seminary was introduced. Announcements were made and the doxology and benediction were given by E. M. Wiley.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

November 24th 1945, 9:00 O'clock

Devotions were conducted by Rev. I. V. Manning. After an address by the Bishop Question No. 12 was called. See report.

The committees on Education and Temperance made their reports.

Questions Number 22, 26, 27, 28, 46, and 47 were called. See Lists.

James H. Blandon from the Reformed Episcopal Church presented orders which were recognized and he was received on trial.

The Commissions on World Service and Finance, the Statistician, and commission on Conference Claimants made their reports. See Reports.

Bishop King was given a purse. The presentation was made by N. W. Greene. Superintendents Green, Gupple, Pearson, and Mingo were presented tokens of appreciation.

Announcements. Benediction by Rev. R. W. President.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, 4:00 O'clock.

Reverend W. M. Jenkins led the devotions. Dr. Crolley was presented and gave the financial standing of the Conference in regards to its place in the annuity rating. He said that the South Carolina Conference holds second place in the permanent fund.

The Board of Education made its report. See Report.

The Statistation and Treasurer made their reports. The reports were received. See Reports.

On motion an executive session was called in regards to Reverend G. S. Durant who came from the Florida Conference seeking admission in the South Carolina Conference. After an explanation by the Bishop, it was found Brother G. S. Durant could not be received.

Doxology and benediction.

SATURDAY NIGHT SESSION

After an address by the Bishop, the following persons were received into full connection: Julius McTeer, Ira S. Jordan, Marion Boatwright, William M. Stokes.

The Commission on World Service and Finance reported and the report was approved. See Report.

Under question 16, an executive session was ordered. The investigation committee reported as follows: The following persons were appointed by the Bishop for the trial of Reverend C. F. Ferguson, pastor of Emanuel Church, Sumter, South Carolina,, charged as follows: First, under Par. 921, A, 1944 Discipline, Un-Christian Temper Words; Second, Par. 921, G, 1944 Discipline, Mal-administration: A. Mack, J. W. Curry, F. Marcus, W. R. Gregg, N. T. Bowen, D. E. Thomas, J. C. Gibbs, S. V. Fowler, J. B. Rouse, B. W. McTeer, K. D. Hough, A. J. Pogue and T. R. Robinson, with M. J. Porter counsel for the Church.

On motion, the time for adjourning was extended to sometime Monday, November 26.

Doxology, Benediction by Reverend F. Marcus.

SUNDAY, FIFTH DAY, MORNING SESSION

The Love Feast and Testimonial meeting were conducted by Revs. L. G. Gregg, H. K. Kirk, T. H. Fisher, Sr. J. W. Buddin, F. Marcus, N. E. Franklin, and J. A. Gary. After singing Hymn 402, Reverend T. J. Robinson led in prayer. An offering of \$200.00 was received. After some spiritual singing led by Brother Cave, a blind student in Claflin College, the Conference donated \$63.00 to him.

Hymn 280 was lined by the Pastor, prayer was offered by Rev. P. E. Mingo, Scripture lesson was read by Reverend S. M. Miller. Second hymn was number 379. Bishop

King presented Rev. R. E. Bethea who brought the message from St. John 12:37. Theme—*Jerusalem or Athens*.

The Secretary presented the following persons to be ordained:

For Deacon Orders—James Washington, Joe Rogers, Luke N. Barton, Julius McTeer, Ira S. Jordan and Marion Boatwright.

For Elders Orders—Frank Bennett, Nathan W. Jones, William M. Stokes, Herbert Manning. James H. Blanding was received on trial.

Certificates of retirement were given Reverends S. M. Brown, and P. E. McLaughlin.

Resolutions were read by Rev. N. T. Bowen. The same were approved. After announcements, Bishop L. H. King read the appointments. Hymn number 577 was sung and the benediction was pronounced by the Bishop.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

MONDAY MORNING SESSION, November 26.

Devotions were led by Rev. S. V. Fowler. After a brief devotional address, the Secretary was requested by the Bishop to call the names of the members of the Committee for the trial of Reverend C. F. Ferguson. Revs. R. E. Bethea and T. H. Fisher, Jr., were appointed by the Bishop as secretaries for the trial. Rev. M. J. Porter, counsel for Rev. Ferguson read the charges. Reverend Ferguson answered, "Not guilty." Reverend J. W. Taylor was chosen counsel for the defendant. After the witnesses for the church and Rev. Ferguson had testified, the committee retired and the Bishop ordered a recess until the verdict could be reached.

MONDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The Committee reported as follows to the charges against Rev. Ferguson: Court trial: We, your Committee appointed, have met and after praying and carefully looking into and weighing the evidence presented in the matter pertaining to the charge, find the defendant NOT GUILTY.

No. present 13.

No. voting 13

No. voting YES 4.

No. voting NOT GUILTY 9.

N. T. Bowen, Secretary

J. W. Curry, Chairman.

There being no witness for the second charge against Rev. Ferguson, it was moved and seconded that this charge be dropped. Rev. C. R. Brown was asked by the Bishop to give the names of the officers on the Board of Education. They are: C. R. Brown, president, B. C. M. Wilson, vice-president, Miss Helen Spears, secretary, W. M. Jenkins, executive secretary. The president reported that \$260.00 was in the treasury.

Rev. A. Mack reported \$260.00 for the sale of property. On motion of G. A. Thomas, this amount is to be sent to the Permanent Fund.

Rev. P. R. Tiller made his report for the Trustees. See Report. Rev. J. W. Taylor was voted Conference Missionary Secretary. N. W. Greene, T. D. Green, C. W. Caldwell, J. S. Thomas, and F. H. Grant were appointed to publish the minutes.

On motion, \$10.00 was to be paid T. D. Green, for traveling expenses. C. F. Ferguson was appointed to Sumter. After announcements the benediction was pronounced by K. D. Hough.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the South Carolina Annual Conference of The Methodist Church, held in Bethel Methodist Church, Marion, S. C., from November 21, 1945, to November 26, 1945.
Bishop Lorenzo H. King, D. D. L. D., Presiding.

Part I. Organization and General Business

1. Who are elected.
Secretary—F. H. Grant St. Stephen, S. C.
Treasurer—G. A. Thomas Spartanburg, S. C.
Statistician—J. A. Summers Orangeburg, S. C.
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? (§ 625) Yes.
3. (a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded and in what amounts? (§ 639.) Conference Treasurer, \$5,000. Par. 461, 180, 839.
(b) Have the books of said officers or persons been audited? (§ 639) Yes.
4. Have the boards, commissions, or committees been appointed or elected (§ 630) (answer Yes or No).
(a) Board of Ministerial Training? Yes.
(b) Committee on Conference Relations and Ministerial Qualifications? Yes.
(c) Committee on Accepted Supply Pastors? Yes.
(d) Committee on Investigation? Yes.
(e) District Boards of Location and Building? Yes.
(f) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference? Yes.
(g) Annual Conference Commission on World Service and Finance? Yes.
(h) Town and Country Commission? No.
(i) Annual Conference Deaconess Board? No.
(j) Annual Conference Board of Missions and Church Extension? Yes.
(k) Annual Conference Board of Education? Yes.
(l) Annual Conference Board of Temperance? Yes.
(m) Annual Conference Board of Lay Activities? Yes.
(n) Annual Conference Board of Hospitals and Homes? No.
(o) Annual Conference Board of Evangelism? Yes.
(p) Distributing Committee? No.
(q) Annual Conference Board of Conference Claimants? Yes.
(r) Committee on Proportional Payment of Ministerial Support? No.
(s) Other committees, commission, or boards? Yes.
5. Have the secretaries, treasurer, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The Methodist Church? (§ 640.) Yes.
6. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their district? Reported.
7. What is the schedule for minimum support for pastor? (§ 806) None.
8. What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? (§§ 788-89).
9. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of conference claimants? 7 per cent cash salary.

10. What are the apportionments transmitted by the General Commission on World Service and Finance to this conference.
(a) For World Service? \$10,200.
(b) For Episcopal Fund? $1\frac{3}{4}$ per cent of pastor's salary for current year.
(c) For General Administration Fund? \$376.
11. What amount is apportioned to this conference for the Jurisdictional Administration Fund? \$300.
12. What are the reports, recommendations, and plans of the boards of conference:
(a) What is the report of the Board of Conference Claimants, and what appropriations for conference claimants are reported and approved? (§ 1623.) 8 per cent.
(b) What is the report of the Conference Board of Missions and Church Extension of disbursements of missionary aid within the conference? § 1283-86—\$250.00.
(c) What is the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance (§ 778-86) \$10,200.
(d) What are the other reports?
13. What date is determined for Golden Cross enrollment? (§ 1529)
14. (a) Who is elected conference lay leader? (§ 1492) C. W. Caldwell.
(b) What is his report? See Report.
(c) Who are elected district lay leaders? (§§ 1497-98.) G. W. Able, Chas. M. Green, J. A. Washington, O. S. McDonald, John H. Spears, E. B. Holloway, John Williams, G. A. Adams, S. J. McDonald.

Part II. Pertaining to Ministerial Relations

15. Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation? (§ 931.) T. D. Greene, L. A. Gelzer, J. W. Buddin, T. D. Thomas, M. P. Pyatt. Reserves: R. H. Cunningham, E. M. Washington, I. C. Wiley.
16. Are there formulated complaints against any ministerial member of the conference? Yes.
17. Who are the accepted supply pastors? (§ 315.) J. L. Adams, Esau Anderson, J. H. Black, F. Bennett, C. R. Brown, P. J. Amaker, M. Boatwright, Mabel Campbell (Mrs.), F. Edwards, E. Davis, R. Emanuel, G. S. Gale, Julius George, Lloyd Cleveland, S. B. Hamilton, S. J. Hughes, Wiley Huggins, C. S. Latimore, J. B. Latta, L. W. Lyons, Wm. McClary, J. W. Matthew, D. J. Mitchell, A. A. Pinacle, G. W. Richardson, Francis Nelson, Joe Rodgers, Leroy Steward, E. Stephen, Louis Spears, Matthew Sawyer, I. Smalls, Willie Reid, V. J. Ross, F. Staley, J. W. Williams, D. W. Walker, P. Webb, James Washington, J. Waring, W. Waymer.
18. What accepted supply pastors now under full-time appointment are taking the conference course of study.
(a) In the first year? Lloyd Cleveland, R. E. Donnerly, Lucas Canes, G. S. Gale, K. L. Lloyd, Jessie Ellison.
(b) In the second year? J. Adams, J. T. Franklin, L. S. Spears, J. Waring, M. Walker, Wm. Nelson, C. Brown.
(c) In the third year? Luke Barton, J. H. Black, D. W. Walker, F. Nelson, J. Washington, F. Edwards, Joe Rodgers.
(d) In the fourth year? J. W. Matthew, S. B. Hamilton, Hilard E. Echols, W. M. S. McClary.
19. Who are received on trial.
(a) In studies of the first year? None.

- (b) In studies of the third year under the seminary rule? None
(c) Exempt from course of study under the seminary rule? None
20. Who remain on trial.
(a) Continued in studies of the first year? J. A. Croker, W. M. Ferguson, James Summers, W. M. Hazel, James Monroe.
(b) Advanced to studies of the second year? T. J. Cooper, Benji Brock, Virgil Q. Wright.
(c) Continued in studies of the second year? J. B. Bowen.
21. Who on trial are discontinued? None.
22. Who are admitted into full connection? Julius C. McTeer, William M. Stokes, Ira S. Jordan, Marvin Boatwright.
23. What full members are in studies.
(a) Of the third year? John W. Devoe, I. C. Wiley, Edward C. Cole.
(b) Of the fourth year? N. W. Jones, Wm. M. Stokes.
24. What full members have failed to complete the studies (§ 346)
(a) Of the third year? Matthew D. McCollam, B. Q. Murdock, Mack C. Gelzer.
(b) Of the fourth year? Thomas B. Bowen, Wade Waymer.
25. What full members have completed the studies of the fourth year? Nathan W. Jones, William M. Stokes.
26. Who have been elected deacons.
(a) As local preachers? Luke N. Barton, Joe Rodgers, James Washington.
(b) As members on trial in the course of study? Marvin Boatwright.
(c) Under the seminary rule? Ira S. Jordan, Julius W. McTeer.
(d) Under the missionary rule? None.
27. Who have been ordained deacons? L. Barton, Joe Rodgers, Ira S. Jordan, Marvin Boatwright, Julius W. McTeer, James Washington.
28. Who have been elected elders.
(a) As local preachers? Frank Bennett.
(b) As local deacons who have been received on trial? None.
(c) As conference members in the course of study? N. W. Jones.
(d) Under the seminary rule? Wm. M. Stokes, Hurbert Manning.
(e) Under the missionary rule? None.
29. Who have been ordained elders? N. W. Jones, Frank Bennett, Wm. M. Stokes, Hurbert Manning.
30. Relative to accomodation transfers for ordination and reception
(a) Who are transferred in, and from what conference, for purposes of ordination only, such ordination to be voted by this conference:
(1) For ordination as deacons? None.
(2) For ordination as elders? None.
(b) Who have been transferred out, and to what conference, after ordination:
(1) Deacons? None.
(2) Elders? None.
(c) Who have been received on trial at the request of another conference? None.
(d) Who have been transferred, having been received on trial, and to what conference? None.
(e) Who have been ordained here, such ordination having been voted by another conference: (1) Deacons? None. (2) Elders? None.
31. Who are readmitted:

- (a) Deacons? None. (b) Elders? None.
32. What preachers, coming from other churches, have had their orders recognized (§ 411).
(a) As local deacons? James H. Blandon.
(b) As local elders? None.
33. Who have been received from other churches as traveling preachers:
(a) As ordained deacons? None.
(b) As ordained elders? None.
(c) As members on trial? James H. Blandon.
(d) As members in full connection? None.
34. Who have been received by transfer? J. J. Seabrook, Nov. 24, 1945.
35. Who have been transferred out? None.
36. Who have had their conference membership terminated:
(a) By voluntary location? None.
(b) By involuntary location? None.
(c) By withdrawal? None.
(d) By judicial procedure (expelled)? None.
37. What ministerial members have died during the year? E. J. Curry, B. C. Jackson, A. S. Newman.
38. Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? (§ 365) Isaac Green, two years.
39. Who are granted sabbatical leave? (§ 364.) None.
40. What ministers have been retired:
(a) This year? P. E. McLaughlin.
(b) Previously? J. A. Gary, R. F. Freeman, J. W. A. Butler, L. G. Gregg, J. W. Reeder, Solomon Pearson, J. S. Miller, J. W. Moultrie, E. W. Stratton, Ed Gordon, J. T. Martin, J. E. Jenkins.
41. Who are left without appointment to attend school? I. S. Jordan, Orangeburg, S. C.; V. G. Wright, Orangeburg, S. C.; I. C. Wiley, Beaufort, S. C.; James Monroe, Beaufort, S. C.
42. What is the number of
(a) Pastoral charges? 185. Accepted supply pastors? 41. Transfers in? 1. Transfers out? None. Received from other churches? 1. Deceased? 3.
(b) Ministers
(1) On trial: (a) As pastors? 11. (b) Under special appointment? None. (c) Left without appointment to attend school? 2.
(2) In full connection. (a) As pastors and district superintendents? 170. (b) Under special appointment? 5. (c) Left without appointment to attend school? 4. (d) On sabbatical leave? None.
(3) Retired? 13. (4) Supernumerary? 1.
(c) Total of all ministers? 193.
43. What other personal notation should be made? None.

Part III. Concluding Business

44. What is the report of the conference treasurer? See Report.
45. What is the report of the conference statistician? See Report.
46. What are the detailed objectives of this conference for the coming year? I. Perfect record keeping, ten per cent increase in membership. II. Pay all outstanding debts on church and parsonage property. III. Return to the Evangelistic passion of the pioneers.

47. Where shall the next session of the conference be held? Greer, South Carolina.
48. Is there any other business? None
49. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference session? P. R. Tiller to Marion, W. M. Jenkins, to Old Bethel, Charleston, S. C.
50. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year? (See list of appointments).

BENNETTSVILLE DISTRICT J. F. PEARSON, D. S.
115th Ave. Darlington, S. C.

Alcot	W. D. Primus
Bennettsville	Rev. C. C. Reynolds
Bethel-Ebenezer	Rev. A. J. Pogue
Blenheim & Spears	Rev. N. T. Bowen
Cheraw	Rev. A. P. Sumter
Chesterfield	Rev. M. B. Eaddy
Clio-Hopewell	Rev. T. J. Robinson
Darlington	Rev. A. Mack
Darlington Mission	Rev. A. Hool
Dillon	Rev. T. R. Frierson, Jr.
Hartsville	Rev. B. F. Bradford
Kingsville Ct.	Rev. A. L. Wilson
Level Green-Wesley	Rev. L. W. Curry
Little Rock Ct.	Rev. L. C. Gregg
Little Rock	Rev. B. C. Steward
Lydia	Rev. A. L. Brockington
Mt. Beulah	Rev. J. T. Martin
North Marlboro	Rev. C. C. Clark
Syracuse	Rev. R. M. Walker
St. John Wesley Chapel	Rev. H. C. Brewer
James Crawford, U. S. A., James Monroe, I. C. Wiley, in school.	
CC. Clark, District Mission Service. L. A. Gelzer, field representative home mission church extension.	

REPORT OF COMMISSION OF EVANGELISM

The Recommendations of the Board of Evangelism of the South Carolina Conference

OBJECTIVES

1. State wide training institute in January, directed by the Conference Secretary of Evangelism and District Superintendents.
2. Use of suggested methods as laid down by the general Board of Evangelism.
3. A vigilant campaign in each district by District Superintendents.

GOALS

1. In view of conditions as they exist with degrading influences upon our youth each local church strive to exceed the goals handed down as its quota.
2. Visitations by the District Secretary of Evangelism to each charge as far as possible to help in organizing and promoting the work.

QUOTA

State	5850
Beaufort District	574
Bennettsville District	661
Berkeley District	185
Charleston District	667

Florence District	971
Greenville District	432
Orangeburg District	585
Spartanburg District	435
Sumter District	847

Respectfully, The Committee

O. S. McDonald
A. L. Johnson
L. J. Jackson
G. C. Brown

H. J. Kirk
F. L. Lawton
T. H. Fisher
L. A. Wright

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO THE SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

1. That special attention be given to these special days: Race Relations Sunday, Methodist Student Day, and Rally Day.

A. That Race Relations Sunday funds, total amount as per paragraph 198 of the Discipline be sent to our Conference Treasury to be sent to the General Board of Education for Claflin College.

B. That Methodist Student Day Funds be sent to the Conference Treasury to be sent to the General Board of Education for Student Loan Fund as per Par. 197.

C. That Rally Day be observed and funds be sent to the Treasurer of the Conference to be submitted to the Treasurer of the Conference Board of Education as per paragraph 196.

D. That the World Service Sunday, the Fourth Sunday in each month, be observed in the Church Schools and the funds be used for World Service.

II. That each church in the Crusade for Christ answer the need for heroic action by coming up to the challenge figures or goals as set by the General Church, with special emphasis upon Church School enrollment and attendance.

III. That our students in high school be encouraged to attend Claflin College, the names and address of those in the senior class be sent to the executive secretary.

IV. That each charge be represented in the Conference-wide training school to be held at Claflin College in July, 1946.

V. The Board recommends or nominates Reverend Warren Jenkins as Executive Secretary of the Board of Education of the South Carolina Conference.

Miss Helen Spears, Secretary
C. R. Brown, President.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE

OF THE

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

MARION, SOUTH CAROLINA

NOVEMBER 21-25, 1945

As we approach the second step in the Crusade for Christ, Viz: Evangelism, we are faced with an appalling degeneracy of man's moral integrity.

Our moral degeneracy now finds expression in increased drunkenness, mounting juvenile delinquency, divorces, infidelity, increased use of tobacco, especially among women, broken homes and a general drifting away from God and the Church.

To overcome these evils we must do all that is humanly possible throughout Methodism.

No projected non-moral solution, bereft of spiritual motivation and failing to recognize the magnitude of these evils, such as drunkenness, prostitution, gambling, etc., about us, will stem this rising tide.

Legislation is not sufficient: good intentions will not change conditions: even resolutions with high-sounding phrases, will not atone for the sins of the Nation. Nothing but the Blood of Christ can cleanse and save men from these sins.

The World at its Worst needs The Church at its best. Today is the Church's opportunity and we rejoice that The Crusade for Christ has come at a time like this.

Therefore, your Temperance Committee Recommends:

First, that the Ministers and Lay Members of the South Carolina Conference go on record as urging every pastor and Lay Member to enter this Evangelistic Campaign with such earnestness and zeal that once more the fires of true Christian principles will burn on our hearts, giving us a passion for souls, that will be seen and felt in the dark corners of the Nation.

Second, that we commend all those magazines and commercial radio programs which refuse to advertise alcoholic liquors.

Third, that we call upon our members everywhere to set before our Youth examples of Christian living, total abstinence from alcoholic beverages and regular family devotions.

Fourth, that we designate the second Sunday in July, 1946, as World's Temperance Sunday and celebrate the Day with a Temperance Program of Education and consecration.

Fifth, that we pledge anew our support to the program and policies projected by the Board of Temperance in its fight for a better Christian social order.

Respectfully submitted,

A. R. Howard
R. W. President
R. C. Conner
C. J. James
Mrs. Anna Johnson

M. P. Pyatt
J. C. McTeer
Mary L. Hill
Mrs. Ella Murphy
R. G. Lawrence

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH, NOV. 1945

The Board of Missions and Church Extension of the South Carolina Conference is glad to be able to report that there has been a general tendency on the part of the charges to pay off debts and to make improvements in the physical conditions of church property. For this the Board compliments them.

First, we approved the askings from the several districts as follows:

District	Charge	Church	Asked	Granted
Beaufort	Ehrhardt	Ehrhardt		\$100.00
Beaufort	Green Pond	Green Pond	\$ 300.00	
Bennettsville		Aaron Temple	250.00	
Berkley	Domas Chapel	Domas Chapel	250.00	
Berkley	Calvary	Calvary	250.00	
Florence	St. Paul	St. Paul	500.00	
Greenville	S. Greenville	Bethel	400.00	
Greenville	Greenwood	Trinity	200.00	
Greenville	Seneca	St. James	1000.00	
Orangeburg	Denmark	Zion Hill	300.00	300.00
Spartanburg	Greer	Bethel	5000.00	
Sumter	Lamar	Sandy Grove	1000.00	
Sumter	Wateree	Smyrna	700.00	

The local conference board granted:

Cheraw, Bennettsville District \$50.00. Bethlehem, Greenville District \$50.00. Midway Charge, Claflin Church, Orangeburg District \$50.00.

The General Board paid the following Missionary askings to the nine district of the South Carolina Conference.

Beaufort, \$225.00; Bennettsville, \$120.00; Berkley, \$480.00; Charleston, \$207.00; Florence, \$174.50; Greenville, \$265.00; Orangeburg, \$137.50; Spartanburg, \$292.00; Sumter, \$199.00; Grand total \$2100.00.

Secretary's Office Expense\$5.00
Treasurer's Office Expense\$6.00

J. W. Curry, Chairman
E. B. Holloway, Secretary.

Note, P. S.; J. W. Taylor, was elected Missionary Secretary. \$500.00 asked for Emergency Fund.

I. GENERAL CONFERENCE BUDGET

World Service	\$10,200.00
Jurisdictional Conference	300.00
General Administration Fund	376.00
TOTAL	10,876.00

II. ANNUAL CONFERENCE BUDGET

Claflin College (Preferred)	\$50,000.00
Conference Treasurer (Preferred)	425.00
Board of Education and Youth	1,050.00
Gammon	200.00
Contingent	275.00
Ministerial Training (Preferred)	400.00
Area Promotion Fund (Preferred)	300.00
Mission & Church Extension	500.00
Board of Lay Activities (Preferred)	50.00
Alcoholic Education	100.00
Conference Claimants 8% of pastors' salary (cash)	
Episcopal Fund 1 3/4% of pastors' cash salary.	
Total Budget	\$65,276.00=100%
Claflin College	\$50,000.00=76.6%
General and Annual Conference Benevolence	23.4%

APPORTIONMENTS BY DISTRICTS—1945-46

District	W. S.	Claflin	Small Askings	Total
Beaufort	1015	6200	568	\$ 8,000.00
Bennettsville	1265	6300	648	8,230.00
Berkeley	505	1600	256	2,375.00
Charleston	1315	6300	686	8,318.00
Florence	1865	7500	686	10,068.00
Greenville	965	5000	498	6,480.00
Orangeburg	965	5400	503	6,885.00
Spartanburg	965	5400	497	6,879.00
Sumter	1340	6300	641	8,298.00

We recommend 8% of Pastor's salary (cash) for Conference Claimants and 1 3/4% for Episcopal Fund.

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Annual Conference Sources:	
Balance Previous Year	\$ 900.73
Held by Conference Corporation:	
Int. Distribution Acct.	\$169.36
Int. Permanent Fund.	525.89
Held by Board of Pensions:	
Illinois Corporation	\$929.00
Bonus from Board	247.00
Board of Pension:	
Chartered Fund	\$ 80.00
Other Items:	
Methodist Publishing House	\$ 1,917.91
Pastor's Per Cent of Salary Cash at Conf.	8,390.00
From Stamp Fund	3,460.00
TOTAL	\$16,619.89

PROSPECTIVE DISBURSEMENTS

During 1945-46 of funds collected during 1944-1945

Regular Conference Claimants:

Preachers	\$6,127.88
Widows	9,322.86
Children	284.38
Total Regular Annuity	\$15,735.12
Due Mrs. Muzon last year	54.60
TOTAL	\$15,789.72

Other Items:

Due to Clearinghouse	23.00
Increase in Rate Above Clearinghouse Rate Claimants in Other Conferences, 20 years	40.00
Prospective Balance	767.17
TOTAL	\$16,619.89

CERTIFICATE OF TREASURER

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A. MACK, Treasurer.

FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT BOARD OF
CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS
SOUTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE
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During 1944-45 to be distributed during 1945-46

Annual Conference Sources:

Balance Previous Year	\$ 846.13
Pastoral Charges on Apportionment	8,390.00
Held by Board of Pensions	
Illinois Corporation	\$525.89
Total Investment Income	\$ 525.89
Board of Pensions:	
Chartered Fund	80.00
Appropriation—Illinois Corporation	1,176.00
Other Items:	
Methodist Publishing House	\$ 1,917.91
Int. Dist. Acct.	169.36
Stamp Fund	3,460.00
TOTAL	\$16,565.29

PROSPECTIVE DISBURSEMENTS

During 1945-46 of funds collected during 1944-1945

Regular Conference Claimants:

Preachers	\$6,057.88
Widows	9,322.86
Children	284.39
Total Regular Annuity	\$15,665.13
Other Items:	
Due to Clearinghouse	23.00

Increase in Rate Above Clearinghouse Rate Claimants in Other Conferences	60.00
Prospective Balance	817.16
TOTAL	\$16,565.29

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A. MACK, Treasurer.

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION

RETIRED MINISTERS

Year 1945-46 Annuity Rate \$10.00 S. C. Conference

No.	Name	Total Years App'd	Years SO. CAR.	Ann'ty	Yrs. OTHER	Ann'ty	Ann'ty Total
1	Brown, S. M.	28	28	280.00			280.00
2	Butler, James W.A.	18	18	180.00			180.00
3	Cooper, S. J.	40	40	400.00			400.00
4	Freeman, Robert E.	34	34	340.00			340.00
5	Gary, John A.	42	42	420.00			420.00
6	Gordon, Edward	21	20	200.00	1	5.00	205.00
7	Gregg, L. G.	45	45	450.00			450.00
8	Henderson, T. B.	14	14	140.00			140.00
9	Jackson, B. S.	44	44	440.00			440.00
10	Jenkins, J. E. C.	37	37	370.00			370.00
11	Jones, John W.	3	3	30.00			30.00
12	Lowery, Charles B.	17 ³ / ₄	17 ³ / ₄	177.50			177.50
13	McLaughlin, P. E.	36	36	360.00			360.00
14	Martin, J. T.	39	39	390.00			390.00
15	Miller, J. S.	32 ³ / ₄	23	230.00	9 ³ / ₄	43.88	273.88
16	Moultrie, John W.	39	33	330.00	6	34.00	364.00
17	Pearson, Solomon	28	28	280.00			280.00
18	Reeder, J. W.	16	16	160.00			160.00
19	Smith, N. A.	6	6	60.00			60.00
20	Sparks, Samuel S.	37 ³ / ₄	37 ³ / ₄	377.50			377.50
21	Stratton, E. W.	14	14	140.00			140.00
22	Williams, Robt. R.	22	22	220.00			220.00
		614 ¹ / ₄	597 ¹ / ₂	5975.00	16 ³ / ₄	82.88	6057.88

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION
WIDOWS

1945-46 Annuity Rate \$7.00 S. C. Conference

Note: "Widow's Approved Years" are the Approved Years with husband and are multiplied by seventy per cent of the rate for Retired Ministers.

No.	Name	Total App'd Years	SO. CAR. Years	Ann'ty	OTHER Yrs.	Ann'ty	Total Ann'ty
1	Adams, Edward W.	39 $\frac{3}{4}$	39 $\frac{3}{4}$	278.25			278.25
2	Baxter, F. L. Sr.	26 $\frac{3}{4}$	26 $\frac{3}{4}$	187.25			187.25
3	Blasingame, Ollie	13 $\frac{1}{2}$	13 $\frac{1}{2}$	94.50			94.50
4	Bowers, Walter B.	7	7	49.00			49.00
5	Brower, Rossie L.	8	8	56.00			56.00
6	Brown, B. C.	12	12	84.00			84.00
7	Brown, C. B.	26	26	182.00			182.00
8	Brown, Daniel	38	38	266.00			266.00
9	Brown, James A.	18 $\frac{1}{4}$	18 $\frac{1}{4}$	127.75			127.75
10	Brown, Norris J.	23	23	161.00			161.00
11	Burroughs, G. W.	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	36.75			36.75
12	Charley, Eugene S.	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	164.50			164.50
13	Cooper, Boston S.	18 $\frac{1}{4}$	18 $\frac{1}{4}$	127.75			127.75
14	Covington, Geo.	23	12 $\frac{1}{4}$	85.75	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	33.86	119.61
15	Curry, Daniel S.	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	178.50			178.50
16	Curry, Elijah J.	49 $\frac{3}{4}$	49 $\frac{3}{4}$	348.25			348.25
17	David, William M.	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	180.25			180.25
18	Forrest, Ellis	19 $\frac{3}{4}$	19 $\frac{3}{4}$	138.25			138.25
19	Genrette, E. D.	22	22	154.00			154.00
20	Gilliard, H.	12	12	84.00			84.00
21	Graham, Judge R.	26 $\frac{3}{4}$	26 $\frac{3}{4}$	187.25			187.25
22	Greene, Monnie L.	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	66.50			66.50
23	Green, Scipio	24 $\frac{1}{4}$	24 $\frac{1}{4}$	169.75			169.75
24	Harley, James A.	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	66.50			66.50
25	Harrall, J. A.	28 $\frac{3}{4}$	28 $\frac{3}{4}$	201.25			201.25
26	Heyward, P. P.	18	18	126.00			126.00
27	Hickson, Robert L.	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	120.75			120.75
28	Hiddleston, P. C. E.	20 $\frac{1}{4}$	20 $\frac{1}{4}$	141.75			141.75
29	Jackson, Boyd C.	41 $\frac{1}{4}$	41 $\frac{1}{4}$	288.75			288.75
30	Jacobs, C. C.	33 $\frac{1}{2}$	33 $\frac{1}{2}$	234.50			234.50
31	Jones, William H.	31	31	217.00			217.00
32	Lawton, Shelton S.	20	20	140.00			140.00
33	Lowery, I. E.	43 $\frac{3}{4}$	43 $\frac{3}{4}$	306.25			306.25
34	McCollom, S. M.	33 $\frac{3}{4}$	33 $\frac{3}{4}$	236.25			236.25
35	McTeer, D. R.	11 $\frac{3}{4}$	11 $\frac{3}{4}$	82.25			82.25
36	Mason, M. B.	28	28	196.00			196.00
37	Millen, B. F.	13 $\frac{3}{4}$	13 $\frac{3}{4}$	96.25			96.25
38	Miller, John I.	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	43.75			43.75
39	Minus, D. M.	18	18	126.00			126.00
40	Moore, Grant W.	14 $\frac{1}{4}$	14 $\frac{1}{4}$	99.75			99.75
41	Mouzon, M. W.	19 $\frac{3}{4}$	19 $\frac{3}{4}$	138.25			138.25
42	Murphy, Daniel P.	22 $\frac{3}{4}$	22 $\frac{3}{4}$	159.25			159.25
43	Nelson, George	8	8	56.00			56.00
44	Nesbitt, S. B.	9	9	63.00			63.00
45	Norman, W. H.	15 $\frac{3}{4}$	15 $\frac{3}{4}$	110.25			110.25
46	Page, J. F.	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	180.25			180.25

47	Ravenell, J.	2	2	14.00			14.00
48	Richardson, I. H.	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	22.75			22.75
49	Robinson, J. P.	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	297.50			297.50
50	Rollerson, J. S.	2	2	14.00			14.00
51	Sanders, David J.	17	17	119.00			119.00
52	Smith, Nelson S.	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	227.50			227.50
53	Smith, William M.	19 $\frac{1}{4}$	19 $\frac{1}{4}$	134.75			134.75
54	Stewart, H. L.	4 $\frac{1}{4}$	4 $\frac{1}{4}$	29.75			29.75
55	Stewart, M. O.	36 $\frac{1}{4}$	36 $\frac{1}{4}$	253.75			253.75
56	Summers, W. C.	16 $\frac{3}{4}$	16 $\frac{3}{4}$	117.25			117.25
57	Taylor, John B.	11	11	77.00			77.00
58	Taylor, L. A.	20	20	140.00			140.00
59	Tyler, Joseph F.	33	33	231.00			231.00
60	Watson, Silas E.	22	22	154.00			154.00
62	White, James W.	15	15	105.00			105.00
63	White, W. G.	4	4	28.00			28.00
64	Wiley, Isaac C.	24 $\frac{3}{4}$	24 $\frac{3}{4}$	173.25			173.25
61	Whittaker, J. D.	1	1	7.00			7.00
65	Williams, H. W.	28 $\frac{3}{4}$	28 $\frac{3}{4}$	201.25			201.25
66	Wilson, John T.	15	15	105.00			105.00
		137 $\frac{3}{4}$	137	9289.00	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	33.86	9322.86
	Dunton, Lewis M., Relinquished						

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION
CHILDREN

Year 1945-46 Annuity Rate \$2.50 S. C. Conference

Note: "Father's Approved Years" are the number of Father's approved years and are multiplied by one fourth of the rate for Retired Ministers.

Name	Name of Child Mother or Guardian	Age	Father's App'd Years	SO. CAR. Years	Ann'ty	Total Ann'ty
1	Mary Ann Brown	14	12	12	30.00	30.00
2	Mrs. Bellenger C. Brown	13	12	12	30.00	30.00
3	Mrs. Bellenger C. Brown	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	23.75	23.75
4	Mrs. James H. Harley	10	20 $\frac{1}{4}$	20 $\frac{1}{4}$	50.63	50.63
5	Mrs. Paul C. Hiddleston	15	9	9	22.50	22.50
6	Robert Nesbitt	16	15 $\frac{3}{4}$	15 $\frac{3}{4}$	39.38	39.38
7	Mrs. S. B. Nesbitt	14	29 $\frac{1}{4}$	29 $\frac{1}{4}$	73.13	73.13
8	Hermina Norman	17	6	6	15.00	14.00
	Mrs. W. H. Norman					
	Birnie Williams					
	Mrs. Howard W. Williams					
	Annette Woods					
	Robert Donnely					
Totals			113 $\frac{3}{4}$	113 $\frac{3}{4}$	284.39	284.39

**FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT BOARD OF
CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS**

SOUTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

November 21-24, 1945

RECEIPTS

During 1944-45 to be distributed during 1945-46	
Annual Conference Sources:	
Balance Previous Year	\$ 900.73
Held by Conference Corporations:	
Int. Distribution Acct.	\$169.36
Int. Permanent Fund	525.89
Held by Boards of Pensions:	
Illinois Corporation	\$929.00
Bonus from Board	247.00
Board of Pensions:	
Chartered Fund	\$ 80.00
Other Items:	
Methodist Publishing House	\$ 1917.91
Pastor's Per Cent of Salary	8390.00
Stamp Funds	34 60.00
TOTAL	\$16,619.89

PROSPECTIVE DISBURSEMENTS

During 1945-46 of funds collected during 1944-45

Regular Conference Claimants:	
On Basis of Service	
Preachers	\$5707.88
Widows	9322.86
Children	227.50
Total Regular Annuity	\$ 15,258.24
Other Items	20.00
Increase in Rate Above Clearinghouse Rate Claimants	
in Other Conferences, 20 years	20.00
Prospective Balance	1318.65
TOTAL	\$16,619.89

CERTIFICATE OF TREASURER

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G. A. THOMAS, Treasurer

APPOINTMENTS

1945-46

BERKELEY DISTRICT

Paul Washington (second year) District Superintendent

ROUTE 1, CROSS, SOUTH CAROLINA

CHARGE	PASTOR	RANK	POST OFFICE	Yrs.
Bethel	F. L. Levine	Elder	Walterboro R 1, Box 35	2
Francis Brown				
St. Luke	R. W. President	Elder	Cross, R. 1, Box 84	2
Mt. Carmel & Greenhill	A. L. Johnson	Elder	Charleston, R. 3, Box 382	2
Isaiah	F. S. Nelson	Supply	Charleston, R. 3, Box 374	1
Jerusalem	Joseph Green	Elder	Cross, S. C., R. 2	4
St. Paul	F. R. Bennett	Elder	Cross, R. 2, Box 24	2
Silas	S. S. Jones	Elder	Cross, R. 1, Box 89	2
Smith Chapel	E. D. Billard	Elder	Pineville	2
Calvary-				
Dorman Chapel	Jas. Washington	Supply	Cross, R. 3, Box, 334 A	2
Zion	Samuel Nelson	Elder	Cross, R. 2.	2

BEAUFORT DISTRICT

Frank Quick, District Superintendent

BOX 484, WALTERBORO, S. C.

CHARGE	PASTOR	RANK	POST OFFICE	Yrs.
Aiken	B. J. Reddish	Supply	Blackville, S. C.	1
Allendale	Jas. Summers	On Trial	Allendale, S. C.	2
Appleton	W. B. McKay	Elder	Allendale, S. C.	1
Bamberg	A. P. Gillard	Elder	Bamberg, S. C.	1
Bamberg	S. A. Gadsden	Elder	Allendale, S. C.	3
Barnville	L. Martin	Supply	Ehrhardt, S. C.	1
Beaufort	E. M. Wiley	Elder	Walterboro, S. C.	5
Brunson	L. W. Lyons	Supply	Orangeburg, S. C.	1
Cottageville	A. J. Hall	Elder	North, S. C.	1
Ebenezer	D. Brown	Elder	Allendale, S. C.	1
Ehrhardt	Leroy Stewart	Supply	Reevesville, S. C.	1
Green Pond	M. Boatwright	Deacon	Ruffin, S. C.	9
Hardeville	F. Edwards	Supply	Hardeville, S. C.	6
Hickory Hill	S. Grayson	Elder	Yemassee, S. C.	4
Ruffin	J. J. Mitchell	Elder	Ruffin, S. C.	10
Jacksonboro	J. George	Supply	Smoaks, S. C.	6
Riser And				
Oak Grove	M. Walker	Supply	Smoaks, S. C.	1
St. George	F. Marcus	Elder	Orangeburg, S. C.	1
Seigling	L. Caves	Supply	Klien, S. C.	2
Springtown	T. D. Greene	Elder	Orangeburg, S. C.	11
Walterboro	E. N. Jamison	Elder	Walterboro, S. C.,	2
Weeks And				
Bethel	D. Mitchell	Supply	Green Pond, S. C.	10
Yemassee	W. H. Huggins	Supply	Walterboro, S. C.,	2
Youngs Island	B. Q. Murdock	Elder	Ashton, S. C.	1
Blackville	I. W. Hopkin	Supply	Aiken, S. C.	5
Trinity	Wm. Washington	Supply	Meggetts, S. C.	1

ORANGEBURG DISTRICT

A. W. Wright, District Superintendent
ROUTE 1, BOX 20-A, ORANGEBURG, S. C.

CHARGE	PASTOR	RANK	POST OFFICE	Yrs.
Bethlehem & Forest Chapel	M. D. McCollom	Deacon	128 E. Amelia St. Orangeburg,	
Branchville	J. A. Summers	Elder	162 P. O. Orangeburg, S. C.	
Cedar Grove & St. John	J. S. Miller	Elder	54 N. Windson St. Orangeburg	
Columbia	S. V. Fowler	Elder	1725 Gervais St. Columbia	
Denmark	B. W. McTeer	Elder	R. F. D. Ruffin, S. C.	
Edisto Fork	S. A. Funchess	Elder	254 P. O. Orangeburg, S. C.	
Jamison	T. J. Pendergrass	Elder	19 Oak St. Orangeburg, S. C.	
Macedonia	R. G. Lawrence	Elder	17 Goff Ave., Orangeburg, S. C.	
Midway	E. P. Bruce	Elder	R. F. D., Rowesville, S. C.	
North	Wade Waymer	Deacon	240, R. I., Orangeburg, S. C.	
Orangeburg Sta.	I. D. Newman	Elder	130 E. Amelia St., Orangeburg	
Pineville & Bowman	R. H. Cunningham	Elder	Box 8, R. 1, Orangeburg, S. C.	
Reevesville	Joseph Mitchell	Elder	Box 41-A, R-2, Bamberg, S. C.	
Rowesville	S. C. Bryant	Elder	P. O. Orangeburg, S. C.	
Mt. Nebo & St. Stephens	W. N. Fridle	Elder	R. 1 Box Orangeburg S. C.	
Shiloh & St. Philip	T. H. Robinson	Supply	R. F. D. Bowman, S. C.	
Springfield	J. W. Matthew	Supply	R. 1, Box 150, Bowman, S. C.	
Swansea	Henry Staley	Supply	P. O. Box 98, Springfield, S. C.	
SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS:				
Ira S. Jordan, left without appointment to attend school.				
Virgil Wright, left without appointment to attend school.				
I. DeQ. Newman, Missionary Secretary				
S. A. Funchess, Evangelist.				

SUMTER DISTRICT

W. J. Gupple (2nd year) District Superintendent
BOX 55, SUMTER, S. C.

CHARGE	PASTOR	RANK	POST OFFICE	Yrs.
Antioch Ct.	H. J. Kirk	Elder	Sumter, S. C., Box 55	3
Blaney	L. S. Selmore	Elder	Eastover, S. C.	2
Borden Ct.	Robert Lane	Supply	Sumter, Rt. 3, Box 241 B.	6
Camden	W. R. Gregg	Elder	Camden, P. O. Box 17	4
Camden Ct.	S. F. Morse	Elder	Camden, P. O. Box 2	3
Lamar	N. J. Porter	Elder	Lamar, P. O. Box 215	8
Lynchburg	Miller Brown	Elder	Sumter, Broad Ext. Box 127	1
Macedonia Ct.	V. S. Carter	Elder	Camden, P. O. Box 104	8
Mayesville	R. B. King	Elder	Mayesville, P. O. Box 265	4
Mechanicsville	G. H. Bowen	Elder	Oswego, S. C., Rt. 1, Box 39	1
Mt. Zion	J. W. Devore	Elder	Sumter, Rt. 3, Box 85	2
Rock Hill	N. Brown	Supply	Camden, Rt. 4, Box 98	6
Rockspring	Willie Reid	Supply	Bennettsville, Rt. 4	1
Shiloh	H. B. Brown	Elder	Sumter, P. O. Box 293	11
St. James Ct.	J. G. Stokes	Elder	Sumter, P. O. Box 783	8
St. Matthew	J. W. William	Elder	Sumter, Rt. 4, Box 245	8
St. Philip	S. R. Porter	Supply	Sumter, Rt. 3, Box 87	3
Sumter	C. F. Ferguson	Elder	Sumter, 421 S. Main St.	2
Wateree	E. J. Cooper	Elder	Camden, P. O. Box 123	8
Zion Hill	R. L. Lloyd	Supply	Camden, Rt. 1, Box 35	3

FLORENCE DISTRICT

K. D. Hough (1st year) District Superintendent
401 NORTH COIT STREET, FLORENCE, S. C.

CHARGE	PASTOR	RANK	POST OFFICE	Yrs.
Asbury & Bethel	C. C. Barr	Elder	Star Rt. Box 23, Cades	6
Bethlehem & St. Mary	G. B. Tillman	Elder	P. O. Box No. 1, Camden	6
Cades Circuit	M. C. Cooper	Elder	Rt. 3, Box 196, Kingstree	1
Elijah & St. Paul	J. H. Blandon	Supply	Kingstreet, S. C.	1
Florence Sta.	H. B. Jones	Elder	119 Coit St., Florence	1
Jeremiah & Friendship	N. E. Franklin	Elder	P. O. Box 457, Kingstree	7
John Wesley	R. E. Donnelly	Supply	Hemmingway	3
Kingstree St.	D. E. Thomas	Elder	Kingstree	1
Lake City	E. M. Washington	Elder	Lake City	4
Lake City Ct.	D. C. McClam	Supply	Lake City, S. C.	1
Latta	C. J. James	Elder	P. O. 144, Latta	6
Marion	P. R. Tiller	Elder	628 S. Main St. Marion	1
Mars Bluff	T. H. Fisher, Sr.	Elder	Mars Bluff	1
Mullins	B. J. Cooper	Supply	Kingstree, Rt. 2, Box 249	2
Olanta & Pamplico	J. M. Stokes	Elder	235 E. Main St., Florence	1
Salem & Wesley	J. B. Rouse	Elder	Florence	1
Springville	H. B. Rouse	Elder	619 Gibson St., Marion	5
St. John	T. W. Bowen	Supply	Lake City, S. C.	1
St. Luke	Robert Emanuel	Supply	Rt. Mullins	2
St. Paul & St. Michel	I. V. Manning	Elder	203 Madison, Ave. Kingstree	4
Timmonsville	R. C. Conner	Elder	P. O. Box 183, Timmonsville	7
Special Appointments—Florence District—T. W. White to Bethel School				

GREENVILLE DISTRICT

N. W. Greene (6th year) District Superintendent
BOX 1181, GREENVILLE, S. C.

Anderson	S. M. Miller	Elder	209 W. Market St., Anderson	1
Belton	J. L. Adams	Supply	Belton, S. C.	3
Bethlehem & St. Paul	D. W. Walker	Supply	107 Bethel St. Greenville	3
Easley	T. B. Thomas	Elder	17 E. Second St. Easley	5
Greenville	R. E. Bethea	Elder	307 Green Ave. Greenville	2
Greenwood	G. F. C. DuBose	Elder	550 Maxwell Ave. Greenwood	1
Minus Chapel	J. W. Buddin	Elder	100 Minus St., Greenville	5
Mt. Carmel	J. B. Latta	Supply	Simpsonville, S. C.	11
Ninety Six	Alexander Knox	Elder	Ninety Six, S. C.	2
North Greenville				
St. John	H. O. Mims	Elder	Greenville, S. C.	1
St. Luke	J. W. Buddin	Elder	Greenville, S. C.	1
Pendleton	T. R. Robinson	Elder	Pendleton, S. C.	2
Pickens	J. R. Norwood	Elder	Pickens, S. C.	1
Rock Mill	Clarence R. Brown	Supply	Anderson, S. C.	2
Seneca	J. S. Dial	Elder	Seneca, S. C.	3
S. Greenville	F. L. Lawton	Elder	100 Bethel St., Greenville	6
St. Andrews	Harold O. Mims	Elder	221 S. Calhoun St., Greenville	1
Walhalla	W. M. Stokes	Elder	Westminster, S. C.	3
W. Anderson	L. J. Jackson	Elder	308 Watson St., Anderson	5
Williamston	J. W. Robinson	Elder	Williamston, S. C.	6

CHARLESTON DISTRICT

J. W. CURRY, District Superintendent

377 ASHLEY AVE., CHARLESTON, 19, S. C.

CHARGE	PASTOR	RANK	POST OFFICE
Brook Green Charleston	W. M. S. McClary	Supply	Murrels Inlet, S. C.
Centenary	J. W. Taylor	Elder	132 Wentworth St. Charleston
Old Bethel N. Charleston	H. H. Cooper	Elder	20 Felix St., Charleston, 15, S. C.
& St. James	G. H. Richardson	Elder	26 Kennedy St., Charleston, 25.
Wesley	E. C. Wright	Elder	59 Nassau St. Charleston 27.
Cooper River	Luke N. Burton	Supply	Rt. 1, Box 142, Summerville, S. C.
Dickey Chapel	Peter Keel	Supply	Rt. 1, Box 207, Greeleyville, S. C.
Dorchester	James Waring	Supply	54 Line St. Charleston 14, S. C.
Georgetown	Joe Rodgers	Supply	Cross, S. C., care Mr. W. W. Pigler
Greeleyville	J. B. Bowen	On Trial	Greeleyville, S. C.
Enoch and Grove Hall	Elijah Davis	Supply	Rt. 2, Box 135, Summerville, S. C.
Harleyville	M. P. Pyatt	Elder	Ladson, S. C.
Jedburg	Paul Bonapart	Supply	8 Cedar St., Charleston, 33, S. C.
Johns Island	C. C. Brown	Elder	Rt. 1, Johns Island, S. C.
Lane	J. A. Crooker	On Trial	St. Stephens, S. C.
Maryville	S. B. Hamilton	Supply	Rt. 3, Box 182, Charleston, S. C.
Mt. Holly	C. J. Mack	Elder	Rt. 1, Box 96, Bonneau, S. C.
Pinopolis	L. C. Mahoney	Elder	Moncks Corner, S. C., Box 18.
Ridgeville	N. W. Jones	Elder	Cottageville, S. C.
St. Stephens	F. H. Grant	Elder	St. Stephens, S. C.
St. Stephens Ct.	I. Smalls	Supply	Oakley, S. C.
St. Thomas	A. A. Pinacle	Supply	Huger, S. C.
Summerville	////		
& Lincolnville	B. C. M. Wilson	Elder	P. O. Box 901, Summerville, S. C.
Washington & Ladson	N. C. Newman	Elder	Summerville, S. C., P. O. Box 141

SPARTANBURG DISTRICT

P. E. Mingo (2nd year) District Superintendent

BOX 871, SPARTANBURG, S. C.

CHARGES	PASTORS	RANK	POST OFFICE	Yrs.
Blackburg	V. J. Ross	Supply	Clover	2
Chesnee	E. W. Corner	Elder	Chesnee	3
Harmony & Bethel	G. S. Sawyer	Elder	Rock Hill	3
Clover	C. R. Brown	Elder	Clover	5
Cowpens	Y. G. Taylor	Elder	Cowpens	5
Gaffney	J. A. Curry	Elder	Gaffney	1
Greer	J. C. Gibbs	Elder	Greer	5
Jefferson	C. D. Wright	Elder	Bennettsville	2
Landrum & Duncan	G. S. Gale	Supply	Landrum	2
Longtown	Lewis Spears	Supply	Bennettsville	2
McBee- Bethune	T. J. E. Curry	Elder	Darlington	6
Pacolet	Esau Anderson	Supply	Pacolet	4
Pageland	M. C. Gelzer	Elder	Pageland	3
Rock Hill	E. W. Cole	Deacon	Rock Hill	3
St. James	L. G. Gregg	Elder	Orangeburg	1
St. Mark & St. Matthew	T. H. Fisher	Elder	Taylor	3
Spartanburg	G. A. Thomas	Elder	Spartanburg	6
Spartanburg Ct.	S. Jackson	Elder	Spartanburg	10
Sims Chapel	Lloyd Cleveland	Supply	Spartanburg	2
Welford	H. Frierson	Elder	Welford	1
Wilkinsville	J. H. Black	Supply	Blacksburg	3
York	J. S. Thomas	Elder	York	1

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SUPPLY PASTORS

SUPPLY PASTORS FOR 1946

P. J. Amaker	Matthew Sawyer	Louise Spears
M. Boatwright	C. R. Brown	V. J. Ross
Mable Campbell	Peter Webb	Francis Nelson
E. Davis	A. L. Wilson	F. Bennett
F. Edwards	R. E. Donnelly	James Washington
R. Emanuel	E. J. Jones	J. W. Matthew
William McClarey	Dozier James	Henry Staley
A. A. Pincle	D. J. Mitchell	D. W. Walker
C. S. Latimore	J. B. Latta	J. L. Adams
F. Bennett	G. W. Richardson	Willie Reid
LeRoy Stewart	S. B. Hamilton	D. C. McClam
E. Stephen	J. W. Williams	Robert Emanuel
Wiley Huggins	L. W. Lyons	B. F. Cooper
S. J. Hughes	Joe Rodgers	T. H. Robinson
Julious George	J. H. Black	James H. Blandon
I. Small	Lloyd E. Cleveland	Eddie Sistrunk
James Waring	G. S. Gale	James Williams
Wade Waymer	Esau Anderson	

Signed:

L. W. Curry
B. F. Bradford
W. N. Fridle

G. S. Sawyer
C. C. Clark
G. B. Tilman

NOVEMBER 24, 1945

Anniversary of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the
Board of Missions and Church Extension of the South
Carolina Conference, Central Jurisdiction Methodist
Church

Word of greetings and gratitude were fittingly expressed by the President.

Music was rendered, to the great delight of all by a trio of young women from Browning Home, Camden, South Carolina.

Dr. J. J. Seabrook, President of Claflin College, expressed thanks to these lovely music makers.

Reports from the various Conference Officers and District Presidents revealed the following encouraging increases:

Local Societies	230
Members	4300
Subscriptions to Methodist Woman	400
Subscriptions to World Outlook	200
Attendance at Mather Camp and Christian Worker's School	125
Course Cards issued by General Board of Education	85
Amount to Treasurer	\$2280
Amount raised for Local Church	5005
Amount raised for Christian Social Relations	2000
Literature and Books sold	450
Public Offering at Conference	20

Pledges of Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service
(adult and W. S. G.)

To Woman's Division of Christian Service	\$1166
To Jurisdiction W. S. C. S.	200
To Mather Academy	500
To Claflin College	200
To Christian Worker's School	100
To Chapel in Africa to be named for South Carolina Conf.	100

MEETINGS

The Sixth Annual Convention of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will be held at St. James Methodist Church, Sumter, South Carolina, June 14-16, 1946.

The Mather Camp and Christian Worker's School will be held at Browning Home, Camden, S. C., June 18-24, 1946. Registration, Room and Board \$5.00 per person.

The Assembly of the Woman's Division of Christian Service will convene in Columbus, Ohio, April 30-May 1-3. Delegates from the Conference Society are President, Recording Secretary, alternate, Secretary of Organization and Promotion District delegates are to be elected by the Districts at once.

The remainder of the time was given to Evangelism the second area of emphasis in the Crusade for Christ. Mrs. Anna E. Fields, Conference Secretary of Spiritual Life was presented and conducted a beautiful soul stirring worship service. She also stressed the part the W. S. C. S. must play in world Evangelism. This service was closed with the benediction by Reverend Emmett C. Wright.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. P. M. Gibbs, President
Mrs. S. G. Taylor, Vice-Pres.
Mrs. L. A. Cain, Rec. Secretary
Miss E. L. Small, Treasurer
Mrs. O. T. Lawton, Secty. Organization
And Promotion.

THE MINISTERS' WIVES AUXILIARY
PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Mr. Chairman, Members of the South Carolina Conference, Ladies and Gentlemen:

We wish to thank the District Superintendent, Pastors, Pastors wives, and the Conference Vice President for the loyal way in which they have given their support to the cause of Pensions. We feel a deep sense of appreciation for their unstinted cooperation, and realize that we could not have obtained our goals in the past without their assistance.

Our plan to solicit funds for Pensions this year has been changed. We did not send the usual letters to our Co-laborers of the conference. But we made a few personal contacts, and one special appeal for a donation in memory of a pioneer Minister, who has made a wonderful contribution to our Conference.

This appeal was made to one who is not only a product of a Methodist parsonage, but a product of two Methodist Colleges also. In spite of the fact that he is a busy doctor, he finds time to serv

his Church and community in many capacities.

This appeal was made to Dr. C. L. Asbury. In this appeal we asked for a memorial gift in honor of his father, the late Rev. H. C. Asbury, and a cut and short historical sketch of his work in the South Carolina Conference. Dr. C. L. Asbury accepted the appeal, and we request that this cut and short historical sketch be placed in our Conference Journal, as a Memorial to the late Rev. H. C. Asbury.

The short historical sketch and cut, as a Memorial to the late Rev. H. C. Asbury, will be placed in the hands of the Secretary, if this request received the approval of this Body.

We have received from Dr. C. L. Asbury a gift of \$60.00 for the proposed Memorial.

Other contributions received, are as follows:

Mrs. Mamie S. Gordon	\$5.00
Rev. L. A. Gelzer	6.00
Rev. Calvin C. Reynolds	5.00
Total received for Memorial and through personal contacts	\$75.00.

Respectfully submitted

R. L. Reynolds, President
Pastors Wives' Auxiliary

**SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST
CHURCH, MARION, SOUTH CAROLINA
NOVEMBER 24, 1945**

Bishop L. H. King Resident Bishop, Presiding:

We, the Committee on Investigation, have properly investigated the charge against the Reverend H. B. Jones, District Superintendent of the Florence District by the Reverend T. W. White, pastor of St. John's Charge of the same District, and have found no grounds warranting a trial.

Respectfully submitted,
T. D. Green, Chairman
M. P. Pyatt,
J. W. Buddin,
T. B. Thomas,
L. A. Gelzer, Secretary

**SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST
CHURCH, MARION, SOUTH CAROLINA
NOVEMBER 24, 1945**

Bishop L. H. King Resident Bishop, Presiding:

The Committee on Investigations has met and properly considered charges made against Reverend C. F. Ferguson, Pastor of Emanuel Church, Sumter, South Carolina, by Dr. S. J. McDonald, Jr., and M. L. Boykin of the said charge, and have found grounds for charges as follows: First Charge—Under Paragraph 921 A, 1944 Discipline "Un-Christian Temper and Words"; Second Charge—Paragraph 921 G, 1944 Discipline, "Mal-Administration." The committee recommends that Rev. Ferguson be tried under the following charges: (1) Un-Christian Temper and Words, "A" (2) Mal-Administration—"G".

Respectfully submitted,
T. D. Green, Chairman
M. P. Pyatt,
T. B. Thomas,
J. W. Buddin,
L. A. Geizer, Secretary

IN MEMORIAM

"I have fought a good fight;

I have finished my course;

I have kept the faith"

E. J. CURRY

B. C. JACKSON

C. M. McCOLLUM

A. S. NEWMAN

ROLL OF DECEASED MEMBERS

Name	Place of Death	Date	Relation
W. J. E. Tripp	Charleston	1867	Effective
T. W. Lewis	Charleston	1867—Sept.	Effective
R. Townsend	Charleston	1868—Aug.	On Trial
W. E. Cole	Marblehead, Mass	1871—Oct.	On Trial
G. Newcombe	Beaufort	1871—Nov.	Effective
J. Hamilton	Charleston	1871—Nov.	On Trial
Joseph White	Sumter	1880—Nov.	On Trial
E. W. Jackson	Middleton, Mass	1873—Nov.	Supernumerary
Charles E. Butler	Oakley	1873—Dec.	Effective
Thomas Evans	Union	1875—Nov.	Effective
C. W. Lucas	Colleton	1887—Nov.	Effective
Thomas Philips	Orangeburg	1878—July	Supernumerary
F. A. Smith	Charleston	1881—Jan.	Effective
J. K. Wagener	Yorkville	1881—March	Supernumerary
B. L. Roberts	Kingstree	1881—Nov.	Effective
Samuel Weston	Charleston	1892—July	Effective
H. B. Kershaw	Florence	1883—Feb.	Effective
Lewis Rivers	Johnston	1884—April	Effective
G. W. Brabham	Allendale	1884—May	On Trial
Wm. Darrington	Kingstree	1884—July	Supernumerary
E. M. Baxter	Charleston	1878—May	On Trial
N. Scott	Spartanburg	1879—May	On Trial
Wm. Harris	Orangeburg	1876—Feb.	On Trial
Henry Cardoza	Charleston	1886—Feb.	Effective
C. M. Freeman	Seneca	1889—June	On Trial
Patrick Fair	Wellford	1888—Sept.	Effective
R. C. Clinton	Camden	1888—Oct.	On Trial
V. H. Bulkley	St. Stephen	1886—Oct.	Effective
Thomas Wright	Orangeburg	1886—Nov.	Effective
Alonzo Webster	Brattleboro, Vt.	1877—Aug.	Effective
Stepen Jett	Morrilton, Ark.	1887—Aug.	Supernumerary
William Evans	Charleston	1888—Aug.	Effective
J. W. White	Charleston	1890—Jan.	Effective
Z. L. Duncan	Jacksonville, Fla.	1890—June	Supernumerary
R. T. Blackney	Orangeburg	1890—Nov.	Effective
J. S. Garrett	Mount Holly	1891—Feb.	Effective
S. Thomas	Orangeburg	1891—March	Effective
Benj. Gupple	Lydia	1891—Sept.	Effective
G. F. Frederick	Bamberg	1891—Nov.	Effective
Wm. H. Scott	Kingstree	1891—Dec.	Supernumerary
E. J. Snetter	St. Andrews	1892—Jan.	Effective
C. H. Hopkins	Greenville	1892—March	Supernumerary
Burrell James	Easley	1898—Nov.	Effective
J. A. Salters	Kingstree	1894—July	On Trial
S. W. Beard	Aiken	1894—Dec.	Supernumerary
S. T. Harris	Georgetown	1895—Feb.	Supernumerary
E. J. Frederick	Appleton	1895—April	Supernumerary
R. J. Scott	Walhalla	1896—Aug.	On Trial
F. C. Jones	St. George	1896—Feb.	Supernumerary
J. C. Tobias	Gaffney	1910—March	Effective
L. Arthur	Sumter	1896—Sept.	Supernumerary

Roll of Deceased Members (Continued)

Name	Place of Death	Date	Relation
W. G. Valentine	Sumter	1915—Jan.	Retired
J. E. Wilson	Florence	1915—Nov.	Effective
J. D. Mitchell	Orangeburg	1916—	Effective
G. W. Beckham	Bamberg	1916—	Retired
L. A. Rivers		1916—	Effective
W. H. Redfield	Orangeburg	1917—Feb.	Effective
L. L. Thomas	Little Rock	1917—April	Effective
A. B. Murphy	Greenville	1917—April	Effective
M. C. Allen	Marion	1917—July	On Trial
R. C. Campbell	Gaffney	1917—Sept.	Retired
J. L. Grice	Orangeburg	1918—March	Effective
E. C. Funches	Cowpens	1918—March	Retired
John Burroughs	Sumter	1918—	Retired
B. S. A. Williams	Washington, D. C.	1918—	Retired
Alfred Lewis	Augusta, Ga.	1918—	Retired
Lawrence Rice	Midway	1918—Oct.	Effective
Rossie L. Brown	Columbia	1918—Oct.	Effective
Morris Steward	Reidville	1918—	Retired
P. Witherspoon	York	1918—	Retired
J. B. Middleton	Charleston	1918—Nov.	Retired
M. F. Black	Allendale	1918—	Retired
E. B. Burroughs	Charleston	1919—June	Effective
Scipio Green	Little Rock	1919—Oct.	Effective
J. McLeod	Florence	1919—Dec.	Retired
C. H. Hood	Ninety Six	1920—July	Effective
W. Littlejohn	Cowpens	1920—Oct.	Retired
G. W. Washington	Walterboro	1921—Jan.	Effective
J. A. Brown	Orangeburg	1921—Feb.	Retired
A. S. J. Brown	Columbia	1921—March	Retired
Jas. McEaddy	Sumter	1921—June	Retired
W. H. Jones	Camden	1921—July	Retired
B. F. Millen		1921—July	Retired
W. S. Neil	Washington	1921—Oct.	Retired
V. C. Dimery	Kingstree	1921—Sept.	Effective
York Goodlet	Wellford	1921—Sept.	Retired
S. A. King	Orangeburg	1921—	Retired
J. S. Thomas	Orangeburg	1921—Sept.	Retired
J. C. Burch	Anderson	1922—Dec.	Retired
C. C. Scott	Darlington	1922—Nov.	Effective
W. M. Baker	Kingstree	1922—June	Effective
L. J. Bonapart	Reesville	1922—Dec.	Effective
G. W. Moore	Spartanburg	1922—Nov.	Effective
B. J. McDaniel	Timmons ville	1922—Feb.	Effective
Isaac Hardy	Chesterfield	1922—June	Effective
Aaron McLees	Columbia	1923—Nov.	Effective
James Quick	Greenwood	1923—June	On Trial
Henry Harleston	Charleston	1923—June	Effective
H. W. Davis	Sumter	1923—Aug.	Effective
G. W. Covington	Timmons ville	1924—April	Effective
T. G. Robinson	Orangeburg	1924—Jan.	Effective
C. C. Robinson	Dillon	1924—Dec.	Effective

Roll of Deceased Members (Continued)

Name	Place of Death	Date	Relation
F. H. Vance	Sumter	1931—Mar. 12	Effective
J. F. Page	McKenny, Va.	1932—May 17	Effective
J. A. Glenn	Kingstree	1932—Sept. 27	On Trial
Jacob C. Agnew	Greenville	1932—May	Retired
C. R. Brown	Florence	1933—May	Retired
M. M. Mouzon	Charleston	1933—July	Effective
David M. Morris	Blaney	1933—Sept.	Effective
Wesley Williams	Spartanburg	1933—Jan.	Effective
E. W. Adams	Spartanburg	1933—Jan.	Effective
G. W. Burroughs	Sumter	1933—Feb.	Effective
R. F. Harrington	Orangeburg	1934—May	Effective
J. W. Gray	Walterboro	1935—Sept.	Effective
M. L. Greene	Marion	1935—	Effective
G. S. McMillian	Mars Bluff	1935—	Effective
W. T. Smith	Sumter	1935—	Retired
M. B. Mason	New York	1935—	Retired
D. Salters	Kingstree	1935—	Retired
I. H. Richardson	Kingstree	1935—	Retired
R. H. Cottingham	Clio	1935—	Retired
J. T. Wilson	Sumter	1936—	Retired
C. H. Dangerfield	Orangeburg	1936—	Retired
Thomas Sims	Sumter	1936—	Retired
W. G. White		1936—	Retired
L. M. Denton	Orangeburg	1936—	Effective
W. M. Hanna	Cheraw	1927—	Retired
A. G. Townsend	Sumter	1937—	Retired
N. J. Brown	Lake City	1937—	Retired
J. B. Taylor	Orangeburg	1937—	Effective
B. S. Cooper	Walterboro	1937—	Effective
L. W. Ferby	Bamberg	1937—	Effective
L. W. Williams	Easley	1937—	Effective
W. H. Norman	Ruffin	1937—	Effective
B. C. Brown		1938—	Effective
N. S. Smith	Bennettsville	1938—	Effective
V. S. Johnson		1938—	Effective
W. S. Thompson	Seneca	1933—	Retired
C. C. Jacobs	New York, N. Y.	1938—	Located
I. C. Wiley	Kingstree	1939—	Effective
H. W. Williams	Kingstree	1939—	Effective
J. C. Armstrong		1938—	Retired
W. J. Alexander			Effective
M. C. Singleton			Effective
E. Eady			Effective
A. Davis			Effective
P. Brown			Effective
F. Brown			Effective
P. A. Middleton			Effective
L. Fendley			Effective
E. R. Bennett			Effective
S. D. Brown			Effective
Wm. Stretch		1909—Feb. 8	Effective

Roll of Deceased Members (Continued)

Name	Place of Death	Date	Relation
Benj. Brown	Cades	1925—	Retired
Adam D. Brown	Orangeburg	1925—	Retired
W. B. Bowers	Camden	1925—	Effective
W. G. Deas	Greer	1925—	Retired
General F. Miller	Kingstree	1925—	Retired
J. T. Latson		1925—	Retired
Arnold R. Smith	Chesterfield	1925—	Effective
Andrew Tillman	Mullins		
G. W. Rogers	Mullins	1926—	Retired
J. D. Sanders	Orangeburg	1926—	Retired
A. M. Wright	Bamberg	1926—	Effective
George W. Gray	Greenville	1926—	Retired
J. A. Harrel	Florence	1926—	Effective
A. G. Kennedy	Columbia	1926—	Retired
A. W. Fuller	Greer	1926—	Retired
S. D. Williams		1927—Jan.	Effective
J. F. Greene		1927—Oct.	Effective
J. H. Wilson		1927—Nov.	Retired
J. W. Brown		1927—Dec.	Retired
J. A. Murray		1928—Jan.	Effective
J. W. Brown	Camden	1928—Jan.	Retired
F. H. Anthony	Sumter	1928—Jan.	Effective
R. Harrison	Chesnee	1928—	Retired
T. W. Williams	Seigling	1928—	Effective
H. L. Stewart	Charleston	1928—Oct.	Effective
C. L. Logan	Greenville	1928—	Retired
G. W. Gantt	Midway	1928—Dec.	Retired
A. D. Harris	St. George	1929—June	Retired
K. P. Murphy	Yemassee	1929—July	Effective
W. M. Smith	Belton	1929—Aug.	Effective
R. L. Hickson	Charleston	1929—July	Effective
Herbert D. Wood	Kingstree	1929—Dec.	Effective
J. H. Chestnut	Belton	1930—May	Effective
J. C. Martin	Greenville	1930—Nov.	Effective
L. A. Thomas	Orangeburg	1930—Nov.	Effective
I. E. Lowery	Columbia	1929—Dec.	Retired
H. H. Matthews	Savannah, Ga.	1930—July	Retired
N. T. Bowen, Sr.	Sumter	1930—Feb.	Retired
Isaac Myers	Greer	1930—July	Retired
H. C. Asbury	Timmons ville	1930—March	Retired
W. M. R. Eaddy	Kingstree	1930—Dec. 16	Effective
J. W. White	Columbia	1931—Jan. 7	Effective
F. H. Hayes	Camden	1931—Feb. 4	Effective
Paul Reddish	Camden	1931—Mar. 10	Effective
D. M. Minus	Greenville	1931—Mar. 28	Effective
D. F. Tillman	Anderson	1931—Mar. 30	Effective
O. Blassengame	Orangeburg	1931—May 25	Effective
H. L. Davis	Mullins	1931—July 22	Effective
G. W. Cooper	Columbia	1931—Aug. 15	Effective
J. S. Tyler	Bamberg	1931—Dec. 8	Effective
M. C. Cook	Allendale	1932—May	Effective

Roll of Deceased Members (Continued)

Name	Place of Death	Date	Relation
A. S. Cottingham	Columbia	1934—Sept.	Retired
D. R. McTeer	Walterboro	1935—	Effective
Samuel Arthur	Hornboro	1896—Dec.	Effective
W. W. Adams	Camden	1897—Feb.	Supernumerary
J. A. Sasportas	Summerville	1898—Oct.	Supernumerary
A. C. Dutton	Vineland	1897—Dec.	Effective
J. W. Connelly	Seiglingville	1898—June	Effective
F. C. Weston	Greenville	1898—Aug.	Effective
J. Gordon	St. Stephen	1896—Oct.	Effective
H. M. Murphy	Midway	1899—July	Effective
E. M. Pinckney	Camden	1900—April	Supernumerary
Arah'm Middleton	Orangeburg	1901—Aug.	Supernumerary
J. R. Rosamond	Spartanburg	1902—Aug.	Effective
A. B. Franklin	Cades	1902—Dec.	Effective
Henry Baker	Bamberg	1904—July	Effective
S. S. Butler	Anderson	1907—	Supernumerary
A. H. Harrison	Murrayville	1908—Jan.	On Trial
F. L. Baxter, Jr.	Reidville	1908—March	On Trial
W. McIntosh	Camden	1908—Feb.	Effective
F. L. Baxter, Sr.	Florence	1908—Oct.	Supernumerary
I. S. Epps	Dorchester	1908—March	Supernumerary
J. J. July	Eberhardt	1908—Nov.	Effective
B.F. Witherspoon	Greenville	1909—April	Effective
Wm. H. Greer	Blacksburg	1910—April	Effective
M. V. Gray	Cheraw	1910—June	Effective
Wm. Jervey	Summerville	1910—June	Effective
Absalem Cooper	Kingstree	1910—Sept.	Supernumerary
B. M. Pegues	Charleston	1910—Oct.	Effective
W. Thomas	Camden	1910—Oct.	Effective
J. B. Thomas	Lake City	1911—Feb.	Effective
M. Wilson	Greer	1911—Jan.	Supernumerary
Benj. Robinson	Sumter	1911—Jan.	Supernumerary
R. A. Thomas	Swansea	1911—March	Effective
B. F. Gandy	Orangeburg	1911—Sept.	Effective
J. R. Townsend	Orangeburg	1911—July	Supernumerary
F. D. Smith	Chesterfield	1911—Oct.	Effective
J. F. Woods	Orangeburg	1912—Feb.	Effective
J. L. Chestnut	Walterboro	1912—April	Supernumerary
S. S. Lawton	Orangeburg	1913—Feb.	Retired
A. J. Robinson	Orangeburg	1913—March	Retired
J. L. Miller	Greer	1914—Feb.	Effective
B. J. Boston	Adams Run	1914—May	Retired
W. M. Stoney	Yemassee	1914—July	Effective
I. H. Fulton	Charleston	1914—July	Effective
J. L. Henderson	Orangeburg	1914—Sept.	Effective
T. J. Clark	Orangeburg	1914—Sept.	Retired
G. J. Davis	Cartersville	1915—Jan.	Effective
B. G. Frederick	Orangeburg	1915—Feb.	Retired
Ellis Forrest	Orangeburg	1915—Nov.	Retired
J. M. Phillips	Clio	1915—	Effective
S. Simmons		1915—Nov.	Retired

Roll of Deceased Members (Continued)

Name	Place of Death	Date	Relation
A. Simons		1913—April 19	Effective
S. McCray		1914—May 5	Effective
M. P. Richardson		1914—June 24	Effective
J. W. Wright		1915—Feb. 27	Effective
Wm. Robertson		1916—Aug. 10	Effective
H. W. Gatsten		1919—Nov. 5	Effective
S. J. Middleton		1929—Sept. 16	Effective
O. Gethers		1933—Dec. 12	Effective
Joe Ravenel		1934—April 8	Effective
S. B. Nesbit		1937—Feb. 3	Effective
L. B. Collier		1937—Feb. 16	Effective
Jas. Roberson		1937—Dec. 23	Effective
H. W. Williams			
I. C. Wiley			
J. W. White			
J. C. Armstrong			
P. P. Heyward			
Daniel Brown			
J. E. Goins			
J. R. Graham			
James Richards			
E. S. Charley			
I. D. Whitaker			
J. H. Johnson			
F. A. Collely			
W. C. Summers			
Rev. S. E. Watson			
J. P. Robinson			Effective
D. S. Curry			Effective
P. C. E. Hiddleston Pendleton		1943—Feb. 19	Effective
James H. Harley			Effective
C. B. Brown			Effective
George Nelson			Retired
F. Rollerson		1944—July	Effective
W. M. David		1944—Sept.	Retired
E. J. Curry	St. George, S. C.	Sept.—1945	Retired
B. C. Jackson	Marion, S. C.	—1945	Effective
S. M. McCollum	Orangeburg, S. C.	May—1945	Retired
A. S. Newman	St. George, S. C.	Sept.—1945	Effective



RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, we are permitted to assemble here in another Conference session, in the city of Marion, through the Providence of Almighty God, for the purpose of consecrating ourselves anew that we may dispatch the business of the Church in exactness and humility, and

Whereas, we find that our meeting from time to time causes stricter devotion in every respect relative to Church work in the various places in which we regularly meet involving us in God and His work, thereby producing growth and expansion for the Kingdom of God, so necessary in helping us to keep His mandates and carry out His commands, all of which were given to us and intrusted to our care that a pattern or model might be set up for mankind to follow through all earthly existence that they might become better by nature and more Christlike in character, therefore we pause, and bow our heads in humble prayer to Almighty God, Our Heavenly Father, for His goodness and kindness and thanking Him for permitting us to live and to take a part endeavoring to help build and establish His Kingdom here on earth.

Inasmuch as there has been a horrible catastrophe upon and about us (viz war), causing general uneasiness and dissention, leading to destruction in much of our land and country, depopularizing homes, cities and communities to the extent that all hope was from time to time given up while doubt and darkness stalked in our paths and about our habitations, breeding anxiety which blinded our vision. The unseen existence of Him was felt and there was heard the harbingers of peace, with its mighty proclamation sounded in the nations' ears, "He reigns Who rules in peace." Hope which was dead became alive again; so throwing our anchors of hope, we took fresh courage and started again which this compound complex was understood and solved. We came to ourselves, and that aright, as with diligence, hope and earnest expectation we set our hearts upon God, being determined to serve Him who granted new vision, causing us to become convinced that He brought the proclamation of peace, thereby a chance to rethink and reclaim our own in things spiritual and temporal.

Thus should we honor Him who has done so much for us by openly acknowledging and declaring His Laws and commands.

Therefore be it resolved, that we go on record as full fledged Christians for Christ executing and fully carrying out His work co-operating in all work in promoting the carrying out of the Church's program, crusading for Christ financially, evangelically, spiritually attaining success.

Resolved, further that we extend a vote of sympathy to the widow of the late Reverend B. C. Jackson in this hour of her bereavement, ask the Brethren in Jesus Christ who meet here in the place he endeavored to construct for the entertainment of his fellow brethren attending the session of the Conference pray that God may take care of her and keep her until the end of life.

Resolved, that we give a vote of thanks to His Honor, the Mayor R. B. Gasque, for his gracious words of hearty welcome to the city of Marion; the Pastors of the sister Churches of the city with their various congregations, Reverends Taylor, McIntash, Richardson, and Coe; The speakers for their very splendid addresses, namely: Professor Taylor, Gammon Theological Seminary, Dr. Chambers,

Missionary work, Rev. J. S. Thomas, State College Rural Work, Dr. Laughlin, Board of Education, Dr. A. R. Howard, Board of Temperance, Dr. J. J. Seabrook, President of Claflin College, for his timely address on Claflin, Dr. J. W. E. Bowen, Christian Advocate, Central Jurisdiction, the Pastor, Rev. P. R. Tiller, and his most hospitable people for their fine efficient manner in entertaining the Conference and the choir for the melodious strains of music, the Bishop for the manner and procedure of presiding over the deliberation of our Conference, the splendid advice and council and brotherly dealings, the coming of whom was hailed with joy and delight; the janitor for the faithful performance of his work, yea, we thank them one and all who in anyway contributed to make the entertainment of the Conference pleasant.

May God bless you all and preserve you for your kindness.

Respectfully submitted,

N. T. BOWEN, For the Committee.

NOTE: Rev. T. H. Fisher, Jr., will preach the memorial sermon at the coming Annual Conference.

REPORT ON EXAMINATION
SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE
CENTRAL JURISDICTION

REV. G. W. THOMAS, Treasurer

Spartanburg, South Carolina

February 1, 1945 to January 31, 1946

South Carolina Conference
Central Jurisdiction
Spartanburg, S. C.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to engagement I have made a general examination of the records of Rev. G. W. Thomas, Treasurer.

I present the Cash Statement for the period February 1, 1945 to January 31, 1946.

In making this examination it was necessary for us to take the records as compiled by Rev. G. W. Thomas and make such verifications of the receipts and expenditures as it was possible.

The receipts agree with the funds deposited in the bank with the exception of the amount of \$453.00 which was received and the remittance mailed directly to the Treasurer of the Board of Pensions and the amount is included in the disbursements to that fund. The other disbursements were made by check. The cancelled checks were cross checked against the bank statements.

There were a few advances which were refunded. These were cross checked and neither the receipts or disbursements or the items is shown, in that one cancels the other. Neither do I show receipts and disbursements for checks returned by the bank and redeposited.

The cash in bank in the amount of \$3,037.88 is in accord with the records. There were three checks outstanding with the total amount of \$522.00, which amount when deducted from the balance as per the bank statement leaves the cash in bank as above.

The cash on hand, \$25.00, represents a check returned which Rev. Thomas expects to collect.

I have recommended a special cash book for your treasurer. On his instructions, I will shortly outline this cash book and instruct him how to keep it.

In accord with the above I certify that the accompanying statement of receipts and disbursements gives full accounting of all money received and disbursed by your treasurer.

Respectfully submitted.

H. S. BLANTON, C. P. A.

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE
CENTRAL JURISDICTION

Rev. G. W. Thomas, Treasurer
Spartanburg, South Carolina

Statements of Receipts and Disbursements
February 1, 1945 to January 31, 1946

Balance in Bank, Feb. 1, 1945	\$	262.37
Receipts Per Book Records		
Beaufort District	\$ 9,362.00	
Bennettsville District	17,192.00	
Berkley District	4,450.00	
Charleston District	16,933.00	
Florence District	25,737.00	
Greenville District	12,685.00	
Orangeburg District	13,114.00	
Spartanburg District	11,040.00	
Sumter District	19,174.00	\$129,687.00
Chartered Funds	80.00	
Book Concern	1,917.91	
Ministers' Wives	3,005.32	
Permanent Fund	260.00	
Cash Received & Forwarded	453.00	
Additional Cash Deposited but not identified	743.06	136,146.29

To Be Accounted For \$136,408.66

DISBURSEMENTS:		
Crusade for Christ	\$ 86,106.00	
Board of Pensions	16,852.91	
Clafflin College	12,000.00	
World Service	10,420.00	
Episcopal Fund	2,346.00	
Conference Entertainment	1,982.00	
Alcohol Education	125.00	
Scholarship Fund	200.00	
Home Missions	150.00	
Miss E. L. Smalls	6.00	
Overseas Relief	367.00	
Lay Activities	300.00	
Budget Committee	50.00	
Area Promotion	450.00	
Ministerial School	200.00	
Board of Education	300.00	
Annual Minutes	611.50	
E. B. Halloway	4.00	

Forward	\$132,470.41	\$136,408.66
Office Expense	\$ 461.00	
Jurisdictional Conference	375.00	
Entertainment Committee	37.00	
Bank Service Charge	2.37	133,345.78

Balance	\$	3,062.88
Balance per Bank, January 31, 1946	\$ 3,559.88	
Less: Outstanding Checks	522.00	

Cash on Hand	\$ 3,037.88	
	25.00	\$ 3,362.88

Statistical Table No. 1—1944-45—Bennettsville District—S. C. Conference

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Statistical Table No. 1—1944-45—Beaufort District—S. C. Conference

		MEMBERSHIP										CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS																			
Charge and Church	Name of Pastor	Baptisms		FULL MEMBERSHIP				Enrollment		Attendance		Offerings		W. S. C. S.	Church Property																
		Infants Baptised	All Others Baptised	Preparatory Roll	Total Full Membership Reported	Preparatory Members	Received by Transfer	Removed by Death	Removed by Transfer	Total Full Membership	Total Inactive Members	Total Members Active and Inactive	Total Local Preachers			Number Church Schools	Officers & Teachers	Children D. W. 4-11 Years	Children D. W. 12-23 Years	Adult Division	Total Enrollment	Avg. S. S. Attendance	Avg. Attendance Children	Youth Fellowship	Avg. Attendance Adults	Vacation Church Schools	Joining Profession Faith	C. S. Offering	World Ser. Con. Ben.	Total Amt. Raised Church School	Membership W.S.C.S.
Allen.....	J. A. Croker.....	6	4	105	2	1	4	81	28	109	1	1	9	28	18	16	71	52	12	12	56	35	75	1	21	175	1	4000	2000		
Appleton.....	Leroy Stewart.....	2	4	160	4	2	2	140	40	160	1	2	8	18	20	8	54	40	52	52	2	15	1	20	500	2	4000	700			
Altendale.....	J. L. Summers.....	3	10	160	4	2	2	120	40	160	1	2	9	10	20	5	89	55	22	30	70	5	25	1	15	50	2	6000	1500		
Barber.....	B. C. Stewart.....	8	18	365	13	6	18	285	80	365	4	12	29	43	43	37	147	75	30	85	17	350	175	1	215	700	1	20000	8000		
Barneburg Ct.....	Samuel Gadsden.....	12	8	250	9	3	2	250	30	260	3	3	15	48	65	35	188	140	20	20	10	120	180	31	39	350	3	6000	1500		
Beaufort.....	E. M. Wiley.....	4	12	222	10	6	6	234	38	272	2	2	3	30	28	19	20	15	20	20	30	30	45	1	39	400	2	3500	2000		
Beaufort.....	Stevens Dubois.....	18	8	32	8	3	3	202	16	218	2	2	12	32	32	18	62	52	52	52	8	30	45	2	60	315	2	6000	2000		
Cottagesville.....	F. Marcus.....	14	18	135	14	15	3	145	10	155	4	2	13	25	30	10	86	40			14	30	45	2	20	315	2	6000	2000		
Emerson.....	L. W. Lyons.....	18	18	300	10	15	15	255	45	315	1	2	15	20	18	15	80	60			10	25	60	2	30	100	2	8500	2500		
Ennithardt.....	J. A. Summers.....	15	20	300	10	15	15	255	45	315	1	2	15	20	18	15	80	60			10	25	60	2	30	100	2	8500	2500		
Green Pond.....	M. Boatwright.....	10	3	75	3	2	1	40	35	75	2	2	3	11	15	10	21	15			45	45	3	15	50	3	2000	1000			
Hardville.....	Fulton Edwards.....	2	2	113	3	2	4	91	22	91	2	2	3	9	15	10	34	20			2	20	100	2	20	25	3	4000	1000		
Hickory Hill.....	S. Grayson.....	17	12	121	17	6	6	90	47	138	3	2	8	30	18	8	62	40			20	75	325	2	33	115	2	7000	900		
Ruffins.....	J. J. Mitchell.....	8	8	368	19	1	1	278	90	368	2	2	2	24	30	10	102	80			6	75	325	2	33	115	2	7000	900		
Jacksonboro.....	J. George.....	2	2	19	6	19	6	13	6	19	3	1	4	5	4	6	15	10			3	20	25	2	35	100	2	1500	2500		
Rizer-Oak Grove.....	D. Brown.....	8	20	40	6	6	3	70	20	90	2	2	3	18	35	45	40	28			3	20	25	2	35	100	2	2500			
	A. S. Newman	6	6	95	10	3	3	375	80	455	2	2	3	14	35	45	128	100			10	50	50	3	65	50	3	15000	5000		
St. George.....	J. A. Geary.....																														
Sealing-Prospect.....	M. Walker.....	8	8	30	20	2	2	24	6	30	1	2	4	4	6	3	18	10			8	15	50	50	2	80	150	2	1500	5000	
Springtown.....	T. D. Greene.....	30	23	590	20	15	7	460	100	590	1	2	24	60	70	30	184	129			10	50	100	3	12	150	2	9000	2000		
Weeks-Bethel.....	E. Jamison.....	10	8	285	8	6	4	225	40	265	2	2	19	32	20		98	51	2	17	30	103	165	2	40	280	2	14000	2000		
Yemassee.....	D. Mitchell.....	6	7	4	299	4	7	160	45	205	2	3	9	4	25		46	30			12	25	3	30	210	3	3000	3000			
Young's Island.....	B. Q. Murdough.....	7	4	9	85	3	3	70	15	85	3	2	4	10	4	8	18	15			3	12	25	10	10	2	1600	1600			
Millville.....	S. J. Cooper.....	4	2	26	140	2	3	120	20	140	6	2	12	9	50	23	79	35			2	25	15	1	10	35	2	5000	5000		
Clarks &.....	L. W. Hopkins.....	2	10	35	35	1	30	5	17	42	1	1	4	6	6		25	20				25	61	1	8	100	2	2500	2500		
Cooks M.....	W. Washington.....	2	2	42	42	4	3	25	17	42	1	1	4	8	8	10	25	25				25	61	1	8	100	2	2500	2500		
New Hope.....	L. W. Huggins.....	4	4	75	4	2	2	60	15	75	5	1	5	5	6	8	30	20			4	10	25	1	10	200	1	3000	650		
Stokes Trinity.....	W. H. Huggins.....	5	10	75	4	1	2	60	15	75	5	1	5	5	6	8	30	20				10	25	1	10	200	1	3000	650		
Total (or Carried Forward)		306	182	224	4531	165	29	3940	890	4855	55	54	284	469	589	301	1536	1201	79	114	175	232	115	1028	1612	40	960	4736	55	14736	27600

Statistical Table No. 1—1944-45—Berkeley District—S. C. Conference

Church and Charge and		Name of Pastor	
Bethel	F. L. Levine	19	4
Calvary	F. Nelson	200	24
Dorman Chapel	J. Washington	8	3
Francis Brown	R. W. President	15	4
Isaiah	W. M. Ladson	10	4
Jerusalem	J. Greene	10	4
Mt. Carmel & Green Hill	A. Johnson	10	5
Silas	S. Jones	7	7
Smith Chapel	E. Bennett	8	1
St. Paul	G. Nelson	48	23
Total (or Carried Forward)		72	72
Baptisms	FULL MEMBERSHIP	19	4
Infants Baptised		15	4
All Others Baptised		15	4
Preparatory Roll		200	24
Total Full Membership Reported		231	21
Preparatory Members		11	11
Received by Transfer		2	2
Removed by Death		6	6
Removed by Transfer		2	2
Total Full Membership		231	21
Total Inactive Members		179	2
Total Members Active and Inactive		21	21
Total Local Preachers		22	2
Number Church Schools		12	1
Officers & Teachers		10	10
Children D. W. 4-11 Years		50	24
Children D. W. 12-23 Years		24	24
Adult Division		22	22
Total Enrollment		156	100
Avg. S. S. Attendance		25	25
Avg. Attendance Children		164	15
Youth Fellowship		134	10
Avg. Attendance Adults		4	4
Vocation Church Schools		28	10
Joining Profession Faith		3345	20
C. S. Offering		48944	100
World Ser. Con. Ben.		242	41
Total Amt. Raised Church School		119	15
Membership W.S.C.S.		31	3
Paid For Local Work		242	41
Preaching Places		18	1
Est. Value Church Bldgs. Equip. Etc.		137300	1000
Est. Value Parsonages		1000	1000
Furn. and Land		1000	1000

Statistical Table No. 1—1944-45—Charleston District—S. C. Conference

Charge and Church	Name of Pastor	MEMBERSHIP												CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS																Church Offerings				
		Baptisms		FULL MEMBERSHIP						Enrollment		Attendance		W. S. C. S.				Property																
		Infants Baptised	All Others Baptised	Preparatory Roll	Total Full Membership Reported	Preparatory Members Received	Received by Transfer	Removed by Death	Removed by Transfer	Total Active Members	Total Inactive Members	Total Members Active and Inactive	Total Local Preachers	Number Church Schools	Officers & Teachers	Children D. W. 4-11 Years	Children D. W. 12-23 Years	Adult Division	Total Enrollment	Avg. S. S. Attendance	Avg. Attendance Children	Youth Fellowship	Avg. Attendance Adults	Vacation Church Schools	Joining Profession Faith	C. S. Offering World Ser. Con. Ben.	Total Amt. Raised Church School	Membership W.S.C.S.	Paid For Local Work		Preaching Places	Est. Value Church Bldgs. Equip. Etc.	Furn. and Land Est. Value Parsonages	
Brook Green	Wm. S. Clary	8	15	15	123	15		4		122	12	134		3	18	20	16	14	89	68	14	12	10		15	30	50	3	35	90	3	3100	550	
Charleston Centenary	J. W. Curry	5	2	35	469	16		3		382	100	482	2	1	30	50	60	11	167	132	9	24	16	135	12	65	265	1	112	700	1	50000	5000	
Old Bethel	P. R. Tiller	10	6	14	243	35		4		254	20	274	2	1	12	25	10	30	107	65	20	8	19	110	8	100	165	1	46	178	1	26000	4000	
N. Charleston-St. James	C. H. Richardson	3		5	105	2	2	2		90	17	107	2	2	8	10	8	12	48	36		6	19		1	5	20	2	25	100	2	3000		
Wealey	E. C. Wright	6		19	481	24		12		413	80	493	5	1	20	50	50	18	181	65	15	35	12	73	9	30	100	15	160	332	1	19500	4500	
Cooper River	Luke N. Martin	2	1	41	185	16		3		192	6	199	7	2	10	25	45	8	80	50	10	15	20		6	30	55	2	28	40	2	4000	500	
Dickey Chapel	Peter Keel	3		5	18	2		1		15	4	19	1	1	5	10	3	8	29	14					2	5	20	1	10	20	1	400		
Dorchester	James Waring	16		18	233	15	2	3		242	5	247	3	3	16	40	55	16	137	95	10	4	16	61	15	20	63	3	46	200	3	3900	1000	
Enoch Grove Hill	E. Davis	2		6	28	5	1	1		31		31	1	2	8	16	12	6	52	31					1	10	15	1	18	16	2	1300		
Georgetown	Joe Rodgers	6	2	12	60	11		2		64	5	69	2	2	10	16	24	11	73	40	5	9	22		4	20	65	1	12	150	2	4000	500	
Greeleyville	J. B. Bowen	1		3	182	18		3		166	22	188	4	2	15	30	16	104	70	8	4	12	20	3	12	100	2	28	300	2	3000	1600		
Harleyville	M. P. Pyatt	18	5	16	169	10		2		161	15	170	2	2	12	19	30	9	86	40	5	10	16	21	11	61	75	2	35	190	2	2900		
Maryville	S. B. Hamilton	2		6	31	3				28	6	34	2	3	10	16	14	8	59	20	6	13	10	1	10	21	1	5	2	3	1000			
Mt. Holly	C. J. Mack	10		14	263	18		5	1	300	6	305	6	3	15	41	52	16	134	80	4	12	32	60	5	40	75	3	45	20	3	7900		
Jedburg	Paul Bonapart	15	5	20	266	14				233	7	240	4	2	12	22	35	9	94	51	12	19	16	42	4	60	84	1	16	35	2	2000	400	
John's Island	G. C. Brown	30	4	35	433	26		6		473	16	480	10	4	12	50	75	25	180	138	16	45	30	120	15	90	200	4	85	260	4	18170	2400	
Lane	T. W. Bowen	6		12	246	15		2		239	20	259	2	2	3	15	30	28	15	98	64	10	16	32	3	12	37	3	33	190	3	4500	400	
Pinopolis	L. C. Mahoney	25		48	420	16		5		421	10	431	8	3	19	36	60	20	149	100	20	18	32	51	16	20	65	2	42	160	3	4500	1000	
Ridgeville	N. W. Jones	10		20	435	18		4	3	431	15	446	9	2	12	64	36	11	143	90	16	9	42	36	14	18	42	2	16	196	2	3900		
St. Stephens	F. H. Grtnt	12		16	172	32	3	1		194	12	206	4	3	16	35	41	22	133	81	13	16	20	96	18	36	80	3	41	300	3	6345	1000	
St. Stephens Ct.	I. Smalls	11			164	6		2		153	15	168	4	2	11	20	33	25	89	70	15	22	20		6	25	75	2	40	70	2	2300	100	
St. Thomas	A. A. Pinacle	22	10	51	359	30		7		379	10	389	7	3	15	30	38	20	115	65	20	17	42		19	65	90	2	28	165	3	2800		
Summerville- Lincolnvill	B. C. M. Wilson	13	5	46	283	15		3		275	20	295		3	27	110	51	15	221	145	30	19	26	110	6	46	100	3	48	102	3	7000	1000	
Washington- Ladson	M. C. Newman	10	1	32	210	19				218	10	228	4	2	14	50	40	16	140	100	10	10		9	16	81	2	60	95	2	21	50	2	5900
Total (or Carried Forward)		246	56	439	5605	381	8	75	4	5476	432	5808	91	55	342	815	846	353	2708	1710	273	335	473	1926	196	888	1957	62	1061	3794	57	187415	23950	
Total Last Year		238	92		5605	375	17	36		5193	412	5605	95	55	324	813	849	336	2373	1592	386		408	480		482	1337		965	4579	57	182715	22500	
Increase		8				6		39		283	21	203			18	2	17	335	118			65	546		406	620		96			4700	1450		
Decrease			36				9					4				3					87								785					

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MEMBERSHIP		CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS	
Church Property	Church	Church Property	Church
Est. Value Parsonages	Est. Value Church Bldgs. Equip. Etc.	Est. Value Parsonages	Est. Value Church Bldgs. Equip. Etc.
Furn. and Land	Preaching Places	Furn. and Land	Preaching Places
Paid For Local Work	Membership W.S.C.S.	Paid For Local Work	Membership W.S.C.S.
Church School	Total Amt. Raised	Church School	Total Amt. Raised
World Ser. Con. Ben.	C. S. Offering	World Ser. Con. Ben.	C. S. Offering
Joining Profession Faith	Pupils in Weekday schools	Joining Profession Faith	Pupils in Weekday schools
Vacation Church Schools	Avg. Attendance Adults	Vacation Church Schools	Avg. Attendance Adults
Youth Fellowship	Avg. Attendance Children	Youth Fellowship	Avg. Attendance Children
Attendance	Total Enrollment	Attendance	Total Enrollment
Children D. W. 12-23 Years	Adult Division	Children D. W. 12-23 Years	Adult Division
Children D. W. 4-11 Years	Nursery Dept. To 3 Years	Children D. W. 4-11 Years	Nursery Dept. To 3 Years
Officers & Teachers	Number Church Schools	Officers & Teachers	Number Church Schools
Total Local Preachers	Total Inactive Members	Total Local Preachers	Total Inactive Members
Active and Inactive	Total Members	Active and Inactive	Total Members
Removed by Transfer	Received by Transfer	Removed by Transfer	Received by Transfer
Removed by Death	Preparatory Members	Removed by Death	Preparatory Members
Reported	Total Full Membership	Reported	Total Full Membership
Preparatory Roll	All Others Baptised	Preparatory Roll	All Others Baptised
Infants Baptised		Infants Baptised	

Name of Pastor		Charge and Church	
Joseph Mitchell	Bethlehem-St. John	Denmark	Edisto Fork
S. V. Fowler	Columbia	B. W. McTeer	Edisto Fork
S. A. Funches	Forest Chapel	S. A. Funches	Edisto Fork
P. J. Amaker	Cedar Grove	P. J. Amaker	Forest Chapel
T. J. Pendergrass	Jamison	T. J. Pendergrass	Cedar Grove
W. N. Fiddle	Macedonia	W. N. Fiddle	Jamison
E. P. Bruce	Midway	E. P. Bruce	Macedonia
A. J. Hall	North	A. J. Hall	Midway
I. D. S. Newnan	Orangeburg	I. D. S. Newnan	North
R. H. Cunningham	Pinetown	R. H. Cunningham	Orangeburg
S. C. Bryant	Reevesville	S. C. Bryant	Pinetown
Wade Wayner	Rowesville	Wade Wayner	Reevesville
J. W. Matthews	Springfield	J. W. Matthews	Rowesville
Henry Staley	Swansea	Henry Staley	Springfield
Total (or Carried Forward)		Total (or Carried Forward)	

Statistical Table No. 1—1944-45—Spartanburg District—S. C. Conference

		MEMBERSHIP										CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS																								
Charge and Church	Name of Pastor	Baptisms		FULL MEMBERSHIP					Enrollment			Attendance			Offerings			W. S. C. S.			Church Property															
		Infants Baptised	All Others Baptised	Preparatory Roll	Total Full Membership Reported	Preparatory Members Received	Received by Transfer	Removed by Death	Removed by Transfer	Total Active Members	Total Inactive Members	Total Members Active and Inactive	Total Local Preachers	Number Church Schools	Officers & Teachers	Nursery Dept. To 3 Years	Children D. W. 4-11 Years	Children D. W. 12-23 Years	Adult Division	Home Department	Adult D. W.	Total Enrollment	Avg. S. S. Attendance	Avg. Attendance Children	Youth Fellowship	Avg. Attendance Adults	Vacation Church Schools	Pupils in Weekday schools	Joining Profession Faith	No. in leadership schools	C. S. Offering	World Ser. Con. Ben.	Total Amt. Raised Church School	Membership W.S.C.S.	Paid For Local Work	Preaching Places
Blacksburg	V. J. Ross			6	92			3		84	16	92	1	2	4	10	10	20	25		4	45	10	25			40		8	45	50	12	12	2	3000	500
Chesne	E. W. Conner		5	8	19	8		3		125	6	125		2	2	8	18	15	25		68	40	18	15	25			8	5	34	25	6	3	8000	1000	
Harmony-Bethel	G. S. Sawyer				274	12				224	10	286		2	2	10	30	30	20		120	55	15	12	10			10	40	50	1000	2	5000	800		
Clover	C. R. Brown	3	4		274	11		6	1	224	25	272	2	3	25		42	46	30		143	110	42	46	30	46		4	6	160	230	50	3	12000	2700	
Cowpens	Z. G. Taylor	10		8	140	6		5	15	100	20	120	2	1	6		20	20			61	35	15	15	15	40		4	25	100	25	300	1	3500	2500	
Gaffney	K. D. Hough	5		8	150	11				81	80	161		1	6		17	18	12		53	45	25	25	6	65		5	10	50	35	1	7000	2000		
Greer	J. C. Gibbes			30	140	3		2	2	100	50	150	1	1	14	15	48	30	6	7	120	60	25	16	10	60	50	3	6	50	183	50	400	1	30000	5000
Jefferson	C. D. Wright	5	9	12	465	12	1	3	1	665	70	735	2	4	14	5	20	150	70	21	86	125	8	50	20		169	15	10	67	40	250	4	4800	3000	
Landrum-Duncan	G. S. Gale	1	2	3	64	3		1		36	32	67	2	2	6		6	10			39	15	10				3		3	1	15	15	6	4	534	
Longtown	Lewis S. Spears		3		137	2				141		141		3	12		3	3	12		19	12	6		14			3	3	20	23	13	16	3	2000	2000
McBee-Bethune	T. J. E. Curry	4	6		91	2				83		83		3	12		3	30	10		80	65	10		55			4	2	25	35	15	20	3	2000	500
Pacolet	Essau Anderson		4		89			1		90	20	90		3	12	3	16	12	13		25	50	13	10	55			3	2	50	20	60	3	1500	800	
Pageland	M. C. Gelzer	4	50	6	350	4		3		360	20	380	3	15	3	10	25	25			15	25	15	15	12		50	8	4	140	100	50	50	3	4000	3000
Rock Hill	E. W. Cole	4	12	4	150	5				146	8	146	1	2	18		2	17	22	27	90	57	10	12	7			5	8	60	60	24	80	3	3500	
St. James	J. R. Norwood	4	1	6	259	2	16	1	17	208	64	208	1	3	10	7	15	37	25		50	70		25	14	15	55	12	10	129	141	30	200	3	5000	1750
St. Mark-St. Matthew	T. H. Fisher, Jr.	3	15	11	420	12		2	7	385	35	420	1	2	58	5	120	115	110		40	330	40	50	40	80	95	15	10	90	250	100	125	2	26000	1500
Spartanburg	G. A. Thomas	3	12	3	425	5		2	9	300	125	425	3	1	12	6	25	22	20		18	60	12	15	20	2	100	42	10	80	150	100	800	1	50000	8000
Spartanburg Ct.	S. Jackson	6	35	3	158	7		8		100	58	158	7	1	4		8	30			14	35	10		8			7	35	50	89	6	26	2	1500	400
Sims Chapel	Lloyd Cleveland		3		12	2				9	5	14		1	2			5			5	5			9			2	5	8	20	1		1	200	
Welford	L. G. Gregg	6	12		295	12	1	3		202	104	306	1	2	16	43	43	22	25		118	43	60	16	17			12	5	22	100			2	2500	500
Wilkinsville	J. H. Black	4	2	2	20	2				22		22		1	4		3	7			15	15	5	4	6		6	7	4	2	5	8		1	5000	
York	J. A. Curry	2	3	5	135	4		1	10	128	10	138		2	8		28	22			58	40		10				3	75	125	30	150	2	5000	1000	
Total		65	174	116	4099	126	18	44	162	3615	808	4339	19	45	276	119	527	652	495	28	1283	1337	358	332	398	310	606	129	179	1069	2022	690	3702	50	182034	36950

Statistical Table No. 1—1944-45—Sumter District—S. C. Conference

Charge and Church	Name of Pastor	MEMBERSHIP										CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS																									
		Baptisms		FULL MEMBERSHIP						Enrollment			Attendance		Offerings		W. S. C. S.		Church Property																		
		Infants Baptised	All Others Baptised	Preparatory Roll	Total Full Membership Reported	Preparatory Members Received	Received by Transfer	Removed by Death	Removed by Transfer	Total Active Members	Total Inactive Members	Total Members Active and Inactive	Total Local Preachers	Number Church Schools	Officers & Teachers	Nursery Dept. To 3 Years	Children D. W. 4-11 Years	Children D. W. 12-23 Years	Adult Division	Home Department	Total Enrollment	Avg. S. S. Attendance	Avg. Attendance Children	Youth Fellowship	Avg. Attendance Adults	Vacation Church Schools	Pupils in Weekday schools	Joining Profession Faith	No. in leadership schools	C. S. Offering World Ser. Con. Ben.	Total Amt. Raised Church School	Membership W.S.C.S.	Paid For Local Work	Membership W. S. Guild	Preaching Places	Est. Value Church Bldgs. Equip. Etc.	Est. Value Parsonages Furn. and Land
Antioch-Shepherd ..	H. J. Kirk	14	18	15	330	22		7	14	295	35	330	2	2	24		65	80	10	179	120			210		14		200	285	85	120	2	3000				
Bethel-Zion Hill ..	R. L. Lloyd	8		1				2	18	16	5	21		1	2					10	9			45		4		10	45			1	800				
Blaney	L. S. Selmore	7		16	215	16	14	3		210	20	230		2	9		10	20	10	49	25			38				18	40	75	36	2	4000	1000			
Borden-St. John ..	Robert Lanes	9			22					22	10	32		1	3		6	5	5	19	10											2	1000				
Camden	W. R. Gregg	4	13	30	271	4	4	7	2	250	20	270	1	1	30	18	35	80	15	178	356	80	20	40	10	120	20	4	12	40	326	105	257	1	40000	3000	
Camden Ct.	S. F. Moss	15	5		435	4	2	7		342	125	467	3	2	24					14	110									460	100		2	7000	1500		
Lamar	M. J. Porter	30			450	39		12		405	77	477	6	2	25			75	95	30	225	75		23	20	35	40			100	300	100	400	2	10000	3000	
Lynchburg	G. H. Bowen	1	11	11	464	12	1	9		446	19	465	1	3	27	10	150	50	50	5	292	140		26	30	115		11		120	145	60		3	3750	1875	
Macedonia-St. Paul	V. S. Carter	8	5	45	385	25	7	6		368	32	400	4	2	14		74	28	13	129	78	40	46	13	100		6		55	175	75	250	2	3675			
Mayesville	R. B. King	38	4	30	605	47	19			583	50	633	4	3	23	22	50	80	60	15	155	130	85	60	30	200		28	12	80	140	65	75	3	10000	2500	
Mechanicsville ..	T. H. Fisher, Sr. ..	13	13	13	699	12	2	9	20	402	319	721	2	1	14	13	42	38	75		182	95	100		38	40		2		50	151	100	200	1	3750	2000	
Mt. Zion	John W. Dover	14	24	20	228	15		4		200	50	250	2	1	8		10	80	15	2	65	30	10	30	15	45		47	8	8	30	55	34	65	1	2500	1500
Rock Hill	N. Brown	1		73	92	7	1			105	45	150		2	7	21		17			45	20						43	7		10	18			2	1400	
Rock Spring	G. S. Durant	3		4	47	2	1	1		47	5	52	1	2	6			16	9		31	22	9		7				1		32	48	5		2	2000	
Shiloh	H. B. Brown	24		12	450	25		3		466	85	551	2	2	21		65	115	85	2	278	180		52	48	35		22		50	100	215	1475	2	9500		
St. James-St. Mark	J. G. Stokes	18	25	17	416	15		2		400	41	441	1	2	18	21	40	50	20		149	80		40	20	126	100	35	20	40	105	116	240	2	8000	250	
St. Matthews	J. W. Williams	39	27	363	360	15	3			215	181	396	3	2	29	25	41	28	27		150	85						21		70	248	48	239	1	4500	800	
St. Phillip	S. R. Porter	7	38	3	42	1	4	1		22	18	40	1	1	6		5	8			14				10			1	6	20	20	10	60	2	2000		
Sumter	C. F. Ferguson	27	37	15	650	67	5	4	4	485	175	660	4	1	15	25	55	50	40		185	80	25	40	40	120		50	10	250	400	80	150	34	1	50000	5500
Wateree	E. J. Cooper	13	20	44	444	15	7	4		587	80	637	4	2	12	66	55	59	450	170	812	82	82	45	27	90		19	90	80	180	80	200		2	13000	
Total		263	240	712	6605	343	51	80	58	5869	1392	7223	41	35	322	221	708	842	984	382	3339	1411	383	402	298	1429	250	233	158	1697	2684	1218	3736	190	36	79875	22625